Weather

Cloudy but fine. The maximum temperature yesterday was 77.9 and the minimum 55.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 85.3 and 58.5.

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The Mail Box
MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Str. Emp. of Canada, June 4.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Haruna Maru, 8 a.m. today.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. E. of Russia, 4.30 p.m. today.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Devanha, June 5.

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"8 MORE FOREIGN CAPTIVES TO BE FREED TODAY," SAYS WIRE

Monster Mass Meeting Here Scores Lawlessness In China

STATISTICAL EXPERT GETS OUT BOOK ON CHINA TRADE

Mr. Ferguson's Volume Fills Long Felt Need

GIVES ALL FACTS

Recent Disorders Having Bad Effect On Business

BY DAVID ARAKIE

If there is one thing that the merchant in China or the student of economics desires more than anything else is to have the relevant facts about the trade of the country collected for him in a compact, intelligible and sober form. It is only very rarely that this desire of the general merchant in the East, and particularly in China, is satisfied by official departments. Argument, theory, irresponsible statements, inaccurate, and insufficient data, and undue emphasis of one phase and disregard of the other issues he often gets.

If by any chance the mercantile community gets the information that is sought, it is, more often than not, thrown to him in a form which only the most hardened resolution can get him to read. Then, again, most official reports are so belated in nature that they are seldom scanned, except cursorily at the moment.

The Report and Abstract of Statistics of the foreign trade of China for last year just issued by Mr. J. W. H. Ferguson, the Statistical Secretary of the Customs, will be welcomed, therefore, with unusual acclaim.

Here, assembled together, with beautiful charts showing the percentages of Maritime Customs Revenue contributed by the different principal ports of China, the share of the different contries in the principal articles imported and exported by China, the tonnage of vessels engaged in the carrying trade, etc., in one modest volume, is a clear statement of the character of the trade last year, a lucid summary of the extraordinarily tangled and complicated ramifications of commerce in Far Cathay, and a wholly impartial survey of the main effects of the various incidents of the year, both political and financial.

BOOK IS INTERESTING

Reports issued by the various official departments are usually dry as dust to the bone, but that of Mr. Ferguson is absorbingly interesting, and no doubt will be sought for and treasured by all merchants in Shanghai and other Treaty Ports, as well as by those abroad. While the aim of the author obviously has been to make the summary and conclusions as interesting as possible, Mr. Ferguson has avoided the natural pitfalls, for not only has he not allowed his imagination to work upon the facts presented but has also taken good care to avoid a pessimistic strain or an undue optimistic tone. It is the happy mean between the two extremes, and we take the opportunity of congratulating him on the soundness of the conclusions that he has drawn from a survey of the conditions prevailing last year.

We are particularly pleased to find that the Statistical Inspector-General re-echoes the views expressed by us in our review at the beginning of this year the trade of the country. Concerning the future, Mr. Ferguson says: "As regards the immediate future and the outlook for the coming year, it would be futile, in view of the many conflicting and uncontrollable influences which bear on the situation, To attempt to express a definite opinion on this point. It is always easier to be pessimistic than to look for hopeful signs, but it may be mentioned, that, in common with Europe and America, where during the

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To Be Free Soon

MAJOR PINGER

RICSHA MISSION CELEBRATES ITS TENTH BIRTHDAY

Yesterday, June 1, 1923, over eight lowly edifices in the busiest section of the Settlement a red flag inscribed in blue lettering character was flying. It is a modest little flag befitting the erections over which it floats, the legend it bears in English and Chinese characters is brief, but it will have served its end if for a short moment the passer by was reminded that beaind (or below if you will) the world of high commerce or gay social life, another world of men exists, the denizens of which are as keenly interested and as strenuously engaged in the "game of life" as any of the classes to whom they tender their humble services. The circumstances of the depressed world seldom admit of occasions of festivity, but once in ten years or so—on a very auspicious date an effort may surely be made to cover the dull drab with a brighter tint.

Yesterday was the tenth birthday of the "Ricsha Mission" and all the Ricsha Shelters and the Mission halls were flying the flag in celebration of the day. The Mission will be "en fete" for several days and all coolies will receive a birthday welcome.

REPORT GIVEN

The following statement of the activities of the Mission since the issue of the last Annual Report covering the period from November 1, 1922, to May 31, 1923, (seven months) may be of interest to the friends and supporters of the work:

Distribution of Food and Clothing:

Meals	51,100
Garments	2,370
Men sleping in halls	7,600
Services of instruction in halls and open air	3,286
Schools monthly average attendance	3,600
Average monthly number directly influenced by Mission	30,000
Total for the 7 months	210,000

ENCOURAGEMENT RECEIVED

The much appreciated recognition of the work by the Municipal Council, evidenced by voluntary grant of Tls. 5,000 towards the Building Fund.

Complimentary reference by the Commissioner of Police in his Annual Report.

The generous support given by the foreign community and many friends.

The markedly good effects of the work on very large numbers of men, women asd children.

The Mission, founded June 1, 1913, has been run on the lines of practical Christianity, while ministering to the material needs of the classes for which it exists, it aims also at spiritual and mental uplift, suppression of unrest, labor agitation, and endeavors to give clear practical instruction on all these lines. An encouraging amount of success has attended the measures used, part of which may be noted in the absence in Shanghai of the demonstrative labor troubles so obvious in other parts, with very much smaller populations of the coolie classes.

TOWN HALL THRONGED BY FOREIGN CITIZENS TO PASS RESOLUTION

Bigge t, Most Enthusiastic Public Gathering In Years Votes To Strengthen Hands Of Diplomatic Corps In Efforts To Free Captives And Bring Chinese Authorities To Sense Of Responsibility For Restoration Of Order And Observance Of Trea y Rights

More than fifteen hundred foreign citizens of Shanghai, constituting the largest and most seriously businesslike public gathering seen here in recent years—if such an assembly was ever seen here before—met at the Town Hall yesterday afternoon and passed a resolution condemning the Lincheng bandit outrage and the misrule responsible for it. This expression was directed to the Diplomatic Body at Peking with the hope that it may strengthen the hands of the Ministers in their efforts to secure the early release of the prisoners and the taking of steps to prevent a recurrence of such outlawry.

The meeting was an inspiring thing and the size of the crowd, the cheers which greeted the various speakers and the almost hysterical passing of the resolution most emphatically gave the lie to the charge that Shanghai's foreign citizens during the slowly dragging weeks since the "Blue Express" was wrecked have allowed other interests to overshadow their Anxiety for the Lincheng captives.

HALL IS JAMMED

Before the hour for the meeting had struck, the big auditorium of the Town Hall was practically filled and when it was time to call the assembly to order the main floor was crowded to the doors, many people standing, the gallery was jammed and many were waiting outside the doors for admittance. Men and women of all foreign nationalities made up the throng and there were in attendance as well a good many Chinese citizens.

As the chairman, speakers and the other prominent residents called upon to sit on the platform filed up the steps a wave of applause swept up from the gathering, and when Sir Skinner Turner, Chief Judge of the British Supreme Court and chairman of the meeting, rose to open the session he was greeted with cheers and a storm of handclapping.

Present on the rostrum when the meeting was called to order, besides Sir Skinner Turner, were: Sir Edward Pearce, former chairman of the Council, who put the resolution; Mr. J. Harold Dollar, chairman of the American Chamber of Commerce, who seconded the pronunciamento; Mr. A. Brooke-Smith, former Chairman of the Council, and Dr. Anne Walter Fearn, president of the American Woman's Club, both of whom spoke in support of the measure; Judge Charles S. Lobingier, of the United States Court for China; Mr. H. G. Simms, chairman of the Municipal Council; Mrs. H. G. Simms, chairman of the British Women's Association; Mr. Stirling Fessenden, Mr. H. E. Arnhold, Mr. E. Charlot, Mr. M. Nodaira, Dr. W. T. Findley, Chev. C. Fumagalli, Mr. C. J. Scott and Mr. G. H. Stitt. It should be mentioned in this connection that the public officials present attended the meeting in the capacity of citizens of Shanghai, desiring to express as members of the foreign community here their abhorrence of the bandit atrocity and their desire that steps be taken to bring about the restoration of peace and order in China.

CHEERS GREET SPEAKERS

The opening remarks of Sir Skinner Turner, the speeches of those moving and supporting the resolution and the measure's passage were punctuated by frequent, spontaneous outbursts of applause and the announcement that the Chinese planning the massmeeting for next Sunday would endorse this meeting's action was received with great enthusiasm.

No better nor more eloquent summing up of the meeting could be given than was carried in the words of Sir Skinner Turner in announcing the result of the vote on the resolution:

"Carried without dissenting voice by the biggest public meeting I have ever seen in Shanghai!"

The purpose of the meeting was stated in brief and trenchant style by the chairman, who opened the proceedings as follows:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: At a meeting like this, one called to evoke an expression of opinion

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REICHSTAG GETS DRAFT OF LATEST REPARATION PLAN

Dr. Cuno Asks Foreign Affairs Committee To Consider Guarantees Question

(French Wireless)

Paris, May 31.—The German Chancellor, Herr Cuno, has presented to the Commission of Foreign Affairs of the Reich a report on the future German note (making new proposals to the allies) and the question of guarantees which are to be offered

In the Ruhr, the resumption of work is nearly general.

A rise in wages has been granted to miners as well as to metallurgists.

The strike movement is keeping up its intensity only at Recklinghausen.

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, June 1.—Although the railway and postal strike situations have become worse and the engineers and firemen at six important centers have now come out, hopes of an early improvement are occasioned by a meeting of the joint committee of the Railways and Postal and Telegraph Unions, at which it was decided to resume work today.

Radiographers Get Hero Awards

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 31.—The Carnegie Foundation in Paris, under the presidency of ex-President Loubet, has made a number of awards for acts of heroism. Amongst the recipients were the relatives of two house-surgeons in hospitals who died as a result of sickness contracted while on duty, and radiographers who have suffered mutilation.

Wants Naval Base Built In 5 Years

(Reuter's Service)

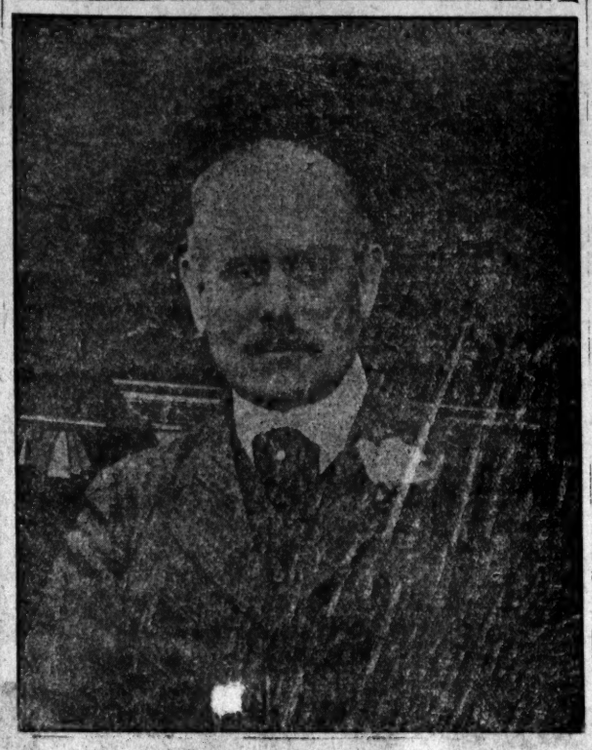
London, June 1.—Rear-Admiral A. P. Davidson in a letter to the press urges the completion of the Singapore naval base in five years instead of ten years if finances permit.

SAILORS RECEIVED

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 31.—The sailors of the U. S. cruiser Pittsburgh were today received at the Hotel de Ville in Paris.

He Voiced Shanghai's Sentiments



Sir Edward Pearce, former Chairman of the Municipal Council and one of the city's leading citizens, was the proposer of the resolution regarding the Lincheng bandit foray passed unanimously by nearly sixteen hundred residents in meeting at the Town Hall yesterday

Lee Solomon Traces Life Histories Of Paotzuku "Sap Club's" Members

BY LEE SOLOMON

The Sap Club,
Paotsuku Fortress
Late Sunday, May 27.

This afternoon, we are taking things easy as our combination guard, valet, door boy and stable-companion has gone down to the lower camp in the Temple in The Clouds for our mail. While he is away and the rest of the guards and sentries are dozing over their guns or indulging in opium or mah-jongg I've been out looking things over and taking snapshots with the vest pocket on the sly.

While strolling around Major Allen and I took a walk over to the ornate gateway at the head of the stone ladder which is the only entrance or exit to our fortress prison. And when we came near how quickly the sentry awoke!

While giving the gate the 'once over' the sentry pointed out between 75 and 100 holes in the door and frame, the results of the peppering Chinese soldiers gave it with a machine gun from another hill about 2,000 yards away during their seige of the mountain.

WHO PINGER IS

Now a little about my two cellmates. We'll start with Major Roland W. Pinger, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army.

Born, February 2, 1889 at Glencol, Cal.

Graduated from Los Angeles High School in 1905.

Graduated from University of California in 1909 as Bachelor of science in electrical engineering.

Worked on Southern Pacific railway on electrification of Bay City lines, and then entered the army by competitive examination and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the coast artillery. As such was stationed at Fort Monroe, Va., Fort Frockett, Texas, and Fort Baker, across from San Francisco for nearly 3 years.

He was then detailed a First Lieutenant in the Ordnance Department and has been in it ever since—about ten years. During that time he has been stationed at Benicia Arsenal, Cal., Watertown Arsenal, Mass., Sandy Hook Proving Grounds, N. J., San Antonio Arsenal, Texas, in the office of the Chief of Ordnance at Washington, Picatinny Arsenal, N. Y. (in command eight months) and Watervliet Arsenal, N. Y.

The Philippine Ordnance Depot at Manila was his last station. He now is Assistant Department Ordnance officer and has immediate charge of maintenance and alterations of all armament, seacoast field artillery, machine guns and small arms together with all ammunition. His job is usually designated at "Armament Officer."

During the war Pinger was made a Lieutenant-Colonel and was Asst. Chief, supply Division, of Ordnance Corps. He also had charge of Field Depots (about

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BANQUE TRIALS BEGIN IN PARIS; 10 FACE CHARGES

Berthelot, Pernottee, 6 Directors And Two Accountants Accused

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 31.—The first hearing of the Banque Industrielle de Chine case took place today. After the reading of the Charges, M. Andre Berthelot made a statement.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, May 31.—The trial of M. Andre Berthelot, the Chairman, M. Pernotte, the General Manager, and six members of the directorate of the Banque Industrielle de Chine, and two chartered accountants for alleged misdemeanors under company law, including irregular issue of shares, distribution of fictitious dividends, and fraudulent negotiation of shares, began in the criminal court today. Except, in the case of M. Pernotte, not all of the accused are charged with every afore-mentioned misdemeanor.

The judge traced the history of the formation of the bank and the capital and other trust and deed arrangements. He suggested that the voting and profit sharing advantages conferred on the 3,000 founders' shares, of which 1,000 each were held by the Chinese Government, the Peking Syndicate and M. M. Berthelot and Victor, were calculated adversely to affect the ordinary share dividends.

M. Berthelot said that the custom was copied from Britain. The object was to retain the control in French hands, otherwise French control might be threatened by a coalition of the votes of the Chinese Government and Japanese shareholders.

CHINESE RELIEF HEAD SAYS TERMS ARE AGREED UPON

Other Captives, Both Chinese And Foreign, Will Be Released As Soon As Enrollmet Of Bandits In Army Is Completed, Which Will Be Very Soon; Lehrbas Telegraphs That There Is Unanimous Confidence In Tsaochuang That Parleys Are In "Home Stretch" Stage

Eight Foreign captives will be released today by the Paotzuku bandits, according to a telegram received yesterday from Mr. S. S. Feng, head of the relief commission sent by the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce. The telegram reads:

"Six members of our commission have returned and report that as a result of the negotiations carried on by Commissioners Wen Shih-tsen and General Chen Tiao-yuan, eight foreigners will be released tomorrow, while the others, Chinese and foreign alike, will be set free upon the conclusion of the enrollment of the bandits in the army."

By Lloyd ("Larry") Lehrbas
(China Press Staff Correspondent)

Tsaochuang, June 1.—Representatives of the gentry and the government, escorted by a cavalry detachment, left for Paotzuku this morning to arrange guarantees. There is unanimous confidence here that the negotiations are in the home stretch. It is possible that several captives will be released first, but the probabilities are that all will be freed together.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tsaochuang, May 31.—It is estimated that the captives will be released in a week.

Mr. Wen Shih-tsen says that the bandits' secretaries will attend tomorrow's conference to begin the enrolment of the bandits in the army. A majority of the bandits are eager for enlistment. It was agreed today that all with revolvers shall be supplementary soldiers. All unwilling to enter the army will be granted pardons so that they can return home.

The bandits also asked for compensation for their destroyed villages. They wanted $1,000,000 but, it is believed, they will accept $100,000. They also hope for money for the ransoms of the Chinese prisoners.

Tsaochuang, May 30.—Whatever the outcome, today's events will prove momentous in the efforts to release the foreign captives. The tentative suggestions which were made during the week-end have resolved into something definite. This morning Mr. Anderson, Mr. Wen Shih-tsen, Mr. Yi Hsuan-hsi and Mr. Powell went to a village near the bandit camp to receive the answer to the Deputy Tuchun's proposals.

Mr. Powell brought the invitation last night the bandits having held conferences late on Monday night, and again on Tuesday. That the bandits were impressed with their representatives reception is very evident, for Mr. J. Yi Hsuan-hsi has not hitherto figured in any of the negotiations. He is a representative of the Ministry of Communications, and he undertook the role of host to the bandits during their week-end stay here. Mr. Anderson and Mr. Wen Shih-tsen, who is Commissioner of Foreign Affairs for Kiangsu, have of course been to the bandit camp on two occasions, and the fact that the bandits asked expressly that these two should be the negotiators, speaks well for the manner in which their earlier missions were conducted.

I understand that the bandits made no definite reply in their note, and that it was in fact only an invitation to hold a conference. Doubtless they have their answer prepared.

The position is thus very much as it was two and a half weeks ago, with this important exception, —there is not likely to be outside interference. As is well known Mr. Wen Shih-tsen had the negotiations on the way to success before the Tuchun and other officials, both of Shantung and other provinces, came upon the scene. Then came the long drawn out series of failure, with each side increasingly suspicious of the other, the departure of the oth-

U. S. DELEGATE TO DRAW UP TRADE PACT WITH TURKS

State Department Authorises Mr. Grew To Negotiate Treaties

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, May 31.—The Japanese delegate today informed the Economic Committee that Japan had some pre-war claims against Turkey which she would discuss privately with the Turks.

(French Wireless)

Lausanne, May 31.—The Economic Committee, under the chairmanship of the Italian delegate, Signor Montagna, has revised various clauses concerning particularly the convention on the establishment of the rights of translation of foreign works and the duration of the commercial convention with Turkey fixed at 5 years with a clause of an implied renewal.

The duration of the commercial convention for the countries other than those invited has been reserved.

Le Temps learns that after the private conversations between Ismet Pasha and the Italian Representative the Turkish Delegation has given up its claim to the Italian island Castellorizo.

Le Temps announces that the Turkish authorities have agreed on the reopening of the Athenian Bank at Constantinople on condition that the operations would be put under Turkish control.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, June 1.—The State Department has authorised Mr. Grew, the United States representative at the Lausanne Conference, to negotiate and sign commercial treaties with Turkey.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 31.—The Temps announces that the Turkish authorities have consented to the reopening of the Bank of Athens at Constantinople on condition that the operations shall be placed under Turkish control.

Good Will Envoys Honor Unknown

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 31.—The second party of the Good Will delegation today laid a wreath on the tomb of the unknown soldier.

stole and the gradual reverting to the early and hopeful situation. General Chang, the Deputy Tuchun, has materially helped to brighten the position.

The Relief Party is once more optimistic as there is again a real hope for release. At the same time it is not expected that today's conference will settle everything, as there will undoubtedly have to be at least one more for the guaranteeing of any agreement that may be arrived at. But the fact that the negotiations are on definite lines, and that the bandits are ready and even eager to treat, marks a distinct advance.

Tsaochuang, May 30.—The extraordinary finding of Miss Aldrich's rings has just been made known here. As has been reported, Miss Aldrich took advantage of a short rest to hide some of her jewellery on a mountain side, and since her release there have been several searches for it. A Mr. Babcock of the Standard Oil Company was the last in the field, and he eventually abandoned the hunt, leaving his Chinese boy still roaming the hill-side in what appeared to be a hopeless task.

The boy, however, stuck to the job. He had a description of the rings, and a rough idea of the particular mountain, that was all.

Becoming tired he sat on a large boulder, turned round, and there were the rings.

They were sent to Miss Aldrich at Peking early this week, and she at once well rewarded the boy.

Tsaochuang, May 31.—"From the point of view of negotiations I think a great deal of progress has been made today," said Mr. Anderson last night after his return from Hsiliho. As was optimistically anticipated by all here, yesterday's mission to the bandits accomplished a considerable amount of spade work. There were no doubt anxious moments for all of the bandits were not open to reason, but in the end a judicious blend of severity and compromise had its effect. Today, Government delegates, accompanied again by Mr. Anderson and Mr. Wen Shih-tsen, left for Wangchiaho. The bandit representatives will be Sun Mei-yao and Kwei Chi-tsai, together with the secretaries who came here on Sunday. The local gentry will also be represented.

It is curious, to say the least, that the venue, the delegates, and even the proposals to be discussed are the same as seventeen days ago. As was foreshadowed, the bandits have trusted the original negotiators, and tomorrow's conference means taking up the threads which were tangled two and a half weeks back.

Mr. Anderson told me that the bandits again treated them as honored guests. On their arrival at the first camp, they were greeted by a large body of bandits, and a somewhat spasmodic fanfare on one solitary bugle. The guard presented arms, the delegates gravely responding, while further on into the bandit stronghold the whole performance was repeated.

The conference was commenced almost immediately, and the negotiators began where they had left off.

Mr. Anderson asked the fulfilment of the chief's promise that Mr. Smith and Major Allen should be released. It will be remembered that the captives asked that Mr. Smith should be allowed to go owing to the danger of a nervous breakdown, while Mrs. Allen was seriously ill at that time. The bandits bedged a trifle at first, but it was the mission's fixed determination to exact fulfilment of the promise. The chiefs realised this and agreed and they also stated that Major Pinger and Mr. Solomon would be brought down from the top of the mountain. This latter was decided on by the bandits at a conference which they held on Tuesday.

Having gained this first point, the mission proceeded to discuss the proposals that have been made. The one point which the bandits did not at all relish was the refusal to withdraw the troops. The sector of the cordon which the bandits especially want removed makes it clear that they wish other bands to make contact, the request of the chiefs that "brothers" in other parts be allowed to join the army confirming this supposition. It was again impressed on the bandits that one man for every rifle would be admitted into the army, and there was some discussion as to whether a revolver was to be reckoned a rifle for this purpose.

With regard to the supply of food, the bandits were informed that a regular supply would be forthcoming only when the men registered for the army.

Mr. Anderson told the bandits that he would gurantee any agreement signed by the Deputy Tuchun. He pointed out to them that the Consuls could not officially guarantee the agreement, as they would not be in a position to force its carrying out if the Shantung Government defaulted. The bandits expressed willingness to accept Mr. Anderson's guarantee.

The conference finished in the afternoon, and at the conclusion the captives at the top were brought down, and the two to be released taken to the village below Paotzuku. There were a few stray shots fired when the mission left, but apparently not at them. The soldiers did not reply, nor have they done so on previous occasions. The shooting seems to be the result of high spirits more than anything else for the shots are always fired at random, and they never hit anyone.

Discussing today's conference, Mr. Anderson told me he expected the Government delegate would be prepared to make certain concessions but very little. The uncertain element was the old bandits, who did not wish to go into the army, and who wanted to continue in banditry. They evidently had made money, and wished to go making it. There are perhaps 200 of these men, who are naturally of the lowest type among the bandits, and though they may not be strong enough to sway the others, or to have a serious effect on the deliberations at the conference, yet there remains the serious problem of what they will do when their comrades in arms join the army.

Mr. Anderson emphasised the friendly nature of the previous day's conference and mentioned that he had conversed with all the chiefs, with the exception of Pobo Liu, the leader of the old bandits. He saw Liu several times, however, and was politely greeted by him. The head chief, Sun Kwei-tsu, was cordiality itself.

I understand that a limited supply of food is being sent up to the bandits already. Yesterday 50 sacks of flour, and 15 of rice were taken to Paotzuku.

Tsaochuang, May 31.—Both looking remarkably well, with tanned skin showing where the face was not covered with three weeks' growth of beard, Major Allen and Mr. W. Smith returned with the mission last night, Mr. Smith was jubilant at his release, and eager to resume his tour of the East, though he expressed doubt as to the advisability of visiting Mukden. He understood that General Chang Tso-lin exercised rather arbitrary power there.

Major Allen was laconic. "Glad to see you here", he was greeted. "And I'm glad to get here", was his reply. Major Allen was one of the members of the Sap club at the top of Paotzuku, and he relates that, much as they disliked going up, they refused to come down again at first as they were under the impression that all the captives were about to be moved on again. The three were soon enlightened, and Major Allen was given the additional welcome news that he was to be entirely free.

The regular letter service to and from the camp has kept the Relief Party in touch with the captives so that there was not much fresh information that the two could give. Major Allen spoke of one interesting discovery at the top of Paotzuku, that of shell splinters.

The soldiers must have been besieging the place in earnest, as the whole top bore evidence of bombardment. The major brought down a souvenir, in case he should be tempted to forget his experience. It is an old sword with a curious scabbard, which he got by trading a box of cigars.

Mr. Smith, who is a slightly-built man, has stood the strain well. It is difficult to realise that he was forced along with the bandits in their hurried march over the hills, and though his lot was harder by reason of his 63 years he seems to have kept cheerful throughout. His only complaint was inability to sleep. "We didn't have to show the white feather", he explained. "It has been an extraordinary experience, thrilling and even with romance at times, even in the darkest places, but you know I wouldn't go through it again, not for a million dollars". Another of Mr. Smith's little worries is the loss of his diary and handbook of China. He is determined to finish the trip according to arrangements, but is just a trifle appre-

(Reuter's Service)

New York, May 9.—Commenting editorially on the bandit outrage on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, the New York Sun says that the outrage glaringly discloses to the world the disordered state of great areas within warring China. The occurrence comes at the very moment of the return of Shantung to China to illustrate the old Japanese contention that the province needs Japanese muskets to keep it in order. Unless the State Department and the Peking Government find a way to deal with the Shantung bandits, the example may spread with peril to all Americans in the country. The United States cannot afford to let the seizure of Americans become a common practice.

The New York Tribune says that a call on the foreign garrisons may be unavoidable if Peking fails utterly. But there is no occasion for talk of another Boxer expedition. The train hold-up was not, like the Boxer trouble, political in motive. The United States has troops in China for use in emergencies. But if they are employed now, it will only be on ordinary extraterritorial police work.

The New York Times says that it is the scale and audacity of the latest piece of Chinese banditry which make it serious. The outrage is primarily an indication of the lack of political cohesion and order to which China has been reduced. This weakness of the Peking Government is one of the obstacles in the way of obtaining the release of the kidnapped foreigners, as the Government's authority over the Province of Shantung is light. To the credit of the Peking Government be it said that it is doing its utmost to obtain the release of the prisoners. It is the supineness of China rather than the unwillingness of any Chinese Government to comply with the diplomats' demand which is liable to make future difficulties.

The New York Evening Post says that it was only a question of time until some such act of violence drew the general attention of Christendom to the intolerable conditions prevailing in China. If expedient, the Powers can despatch a force against the bandits, but the situation cannot be permanently improved until the Central Government struggles to its feet, and it is becoming increasingly clear that the Powers will have to help it.

(Reuter's Peking Service)

Peking, June 1.—A large aeroplane left Peking yesterday for Lincheng.

The military mission left for Lincheng this afternoon.

ROBBERS MURDER WOMAN AND CHILD IN FRENCHTOWN

A daring daylight robbery of particularly brutal character resulted in the death of a Chinese woman and child in the French Concession Thursday afternoon.

The robbery was committed in the home of a Chinese gardener employed to look after the burial ground at the St. Mary's Hospital. The man was home shortly afternoon on Thursday and at about 2 o'clock the place was entered by several men who attacked and strangled the gardener's wife and seven-year-old child. The bodies were thrown over the wall into the Brothers' burial ground and the thieves made off with about $300 which was in the house.

"Tom," Owner Of Dixie Kitchen At Manila, Visits City

Everyone knows Tom's Dixie Kitchen that is everyone who has been to Manila, and knowing Tom's Kitchen naturally everyone knows Tom.

The proprietor of this famous Cafe, whose little-used full name is Thomas Pritchard, dropped in on Shanghai on his way home from the Olympian Games in Japan, and has been sight seeing a bit and meeting numbers of people who used to patronise his Manila Cafe. For twelve years Mr. Pritchard has catered to the culinary wants of Manila's citizens and has the distinction of having the largest and most modernly equipped establishment of its kind in the Philippines. While his present trip has been in the nature of a vacation, Tom has been gathering ideas here all there to keep his famous Kitchen up with the times.

And here is a secret. It is said that one of Shanghai's girls has been induced to say "yes," to the smiling, persistent Tom and it is said the young lady doesn't deny the rumor. Tom is sailing for Manila today on the Jackson, and is taking with him the best wishes of his many friends here.

Governor Wood Coming To China

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, May 31.—It is reported that Governor-General Leonard Wood of the Philippine Islands will soon leave for China on a short visit.

Rumors are current to the effect that Governor-General Wood's contemplated trip to China is connected with the Lincheng affair.

This, however, is denied by the military authorities here, who declare that Governor-General Wood's visit is to promote the relationship between China and the Philippine Islands. It is also suggested that he is to pay a return visit to Dr. J. G. Schurman, U. S. Minister to China, who recently visited the Philippine Islands.

Friend Of Harding Takes His Own Life

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington Court House, Ohio, May 31.—Jesse W. Smith, a prominent Republican politician of this state and a close personal friend of President Harding and Attorney General Daugherty, shot himself here today, dying instantly.

Mr. Smith was one of a small group of Mr. Harding's intimates, and often was a White House guest. He was also a member of the presidential party on numerous trips about the country, and was known as Daugherty's right hand man.

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Shanghai & Hongkong

Town Hall Thronged By Foreign Citizens To Pass Resolution

(Continued from Page 1)

from the foreign community of Shanghai, it does not lie upon me as your Chairman to make a lengthy speech. But I should like to say this. We are met upon an important occasion, to solemnly consider serious, maybe tragic, events that have recently occurred in China. The more we realise that position in our deliberations with the responsibility that it involves, so much the more weight will be and must be attached to their result.

TO PRESENT SOLID FRONT

"It seems to me that it does not lie upon us to censure or to criticise: to put forward plans or suggest remedies. We are here to present a solid front of support to those in Peking who, in most anxious and trying circumstances, have to bear the burden and heat of the day on behalf of all foreigners who live and move and have their being in China. It behoves us to refrain from saying or doing anything that may in any way hamper them in the work they are doing especially for the release of our fellows from durance vile.

"The resolution that is to be proposed to you today is:

" 'That this meeting, representative of the whole foreign community of Shanghai, desires to place on record its profound horror at the outrage recently committed at Lincheng and at the increasing lawlessness and misrule of which Lincheng is the culmination. And this meeting respectfully calls the attention of the Diplomatic Body in Peking to this public and united expression of feeling, in the hope and with the intention that it may strengthen. Their Excellencies' hands in making such representations to their respective Governments as they may deem necessary, to secure the speedy release of the captives now in bandit hands and to bring the Central and Provincial authorities of China to a lasting sense of their responsibility for the restoration of order, the observance of treaty rights and the welfare of the great and friendly Chinese people.'

SIR EDWARD SPEAKS

"I call upon Sir Edward Pearce to move this resolution."

Sir Edward said:

"Mr. Chairman, Friends and Fellow Citizens: Having lived in China for close upon 40 years and having been a citizen of Shanghai during most of that time I rise to propose the Resolution which the Chairman of this large public gathering has just read to you.

"We are all aware that the many different national commercial bodies and others have cabled to their respective governments as well as to their Ministers in Peking expressing their profound abhorrence at the recent railway outrage at Lincheng. This public meeting, however, is called to embody all these different expressions into one public expression of profound horror and indignation at the ever increasing lawlessness and misrule which has filled our daily papers for the last three or four years and which has culminated in this dastardly attack upon the main line express to Peking and that this our united expression of feeling be respectfully addressed to the Diplomatic Body in the sincere hope that it may strengthen their Excellencies' hands to secure the speedy and happy release of the captives now in the power of the bandits and to put a stop to any possible recurrence.

"It is inconceivable to me that a country like China, so imbued with Confucian theories which all point to the kind treatment of a stranger in a strange land, should have degenerated to so low a point, that it is possible for ruffianly bandits to derail an express train, to shoot at and murder a foreigner, capture men, defenceless foreign women, and even little children, to march them shoeless, in night attire, and believed at the butt end of a rifle into the mountains. I call that horror. And to retain them in custody at their own sweet pleasure. Anyone of you in this room this afternoon might have been a member of that unfortunate party.

LAWLESSNESS RAMPANT

The Central Government, the numerous Tuchuns, with their many soldiers, in spite of the wonderful sayings by China's representatives at the Washington Conference, are still unable to restrain the increasing lawlessness throughout this vast republic, a state of affairs which is gradually twisting the minds of the world into disgust at a nation with a reputable civilisation of some 3,000 years behind it.

"I need not remind you that Lincheng is but the climax of a series of ever increasing outrages and disregard by China's officials for what belongs to the status of a civilised country. We all know it and have chafed under and girded at it. But let me recall one or two incidents to illustrate how the tide of anarchy has risen and the prestige of the foreigner has proportionately declined.

"In March of the year 1921, Mr. Stevens a China Inland missionary at a place called Fengsiangfu in Shensi, was kidnapped by a local Major named Wei and held a prisoner by him for more than two months, for no other reason than that he, Wei, had 'a down' on the Tuchun of the province and hoped by getting him into trouble with the Legations to gratify his private ends. Mr. Stevens was ultimately freed, but neither Wei nor the Tuchun was, I believe, ever punished.

"In the summer of the same year the unpaid soldiers of the Tuchun of Hupeh broke loose and looted Ichang and Wuchang, stealing and damaging a great deal of foreign as well as Chinese property. A few men were shot, it seems probable that they were friendless scapegoats who did little if any of the looting. The vast majority of the looters got clean away. The guiltiest of all, the Tuchun, was allowed to retire into private life with his ill-gotten fortune. No one worth noticing was ever punished, and not one farthing of compensation has ever been paid.

RECALLS OTHER OUTRAGES

"The brigands" doings in Honan last year are so fresh in every memory that but little recapitulation is necessary. They destroyed great towns, they carried off unthinkable booty and they took and held, in some cases for months, no fewer than fourteen foreign prisoners whom they proceeded to use, precisely as the Shantung brigands are today using the captives of Protzuku, as levers wherewith to engineer their reinstatement in China's already too numerous arms and extort other concessions.

"The Lincheng outrage as I stated before is the climax. It is these appalling incidents, and many others which I have not time to relate this afternoon, which force us, the citizens of this great cosmopolitan city, Shanghai, assembled in public meeting, to record our abhorrence, our concern and indignation that such outrages should be permitted in a country like China. These things must cease for us and for the Chinese people. For every foreigner who has suffered through the incompetence of China's officials, let us not forget that there are a thousand, nay ten thousand, Chinese who have suffered far more.

"For these reasons we do humbly implore our respective Governments to bring the Central and provincial authorities of China to a lasting sense of their great responsibility for the restoration of order, the observance of Treaty rights and finally of their responsibility towards the welfare of their own hard working people.

"HAVE HAD ENOUGH!"

"I would say to China it behoves her young men to see to it, to stand fast to a constructive policy, to look to themselves and the great needs of their own country. It behoves the peaceful Chinese merchants to come forward, to object forcibly against the ever increasing military taxation, to state their views, to say plainly to their Central and Provincial authorities—'Hold, we have had enough—rather than that you should bring disgrace on the fair name of China—let us the merchant class assist to gather up the progressive reins of government.'

"In conclusion, ladies and gentlemen, the resolution is framed to express the wishes of all, there is no one whose heart is not deeply touched by the miseries of these poor captives, now for nearly four weeks suffering untold hardships and the strain of an uncertainty that we can only dimly imagine and I know that I speak for millions of friendly and peace-loving Chinese to whom their country's unhappy state today is a source of infinite anguish.

"With these words I therefore beg to propose the resolution which is before the meeting."

Rising to second the resolution, Mr. J. Harold Dollar said:

"It gives me pleasure as a resident of Shanghai, to second the resolution in the belief that it will strengthen the hands of the representatives of our various Governments, and that they will be able to accomplish our desires as set forth herein.

"It is my opinion that the sense of this meeting should be to impress upon our officials and our Governments the unity of opinion of the community of Shanghai, without in any way hampering their present efforts to obtain a correction of the present situation."

BROOKE-SMITH ENDORSES

Following the seconding of the resolution by Mr. Dollar, Sir Skinner Turner called upon Mr. A. Brooke-Smith, taipan of Jardine's and former chairman of the Municipal Council, to speak in support of the measure.

Mr. Brooke-Smith said:

"Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen, I have been asked to address you this afternoon but I shall be brief, as the interest in and desirability of passing this resolution has been fully explained to you by the proposer and seconder.

"The resolution is moderate and further should appeal to you and receive your cordial support. We want peace in China, and let us hope that this resolution may be the means of bringing us some security. We know that the Chinese are sighing for peace and the example set by us here today may be followed by them and aid us in bringing about a better state of affairs in this country.

"If the present resolution should unfortunately fail in securing the desired result, foreigners and Chinese should get together to agitate until we secure peace."

A burst of cheers and applause greeted this point.

"Friendliness toward China," Mr. Brooke-Smith continued, "was fully exemplified at the Washington Treaty and I view with horror the possibility of further trouble endangering the integrity of China. To talk glibly of disbanding troops without providing them with the means of livelihood is wrong. Set a program of building further railways, so necessary to this country, combine that gradually with disbandment and you will provide employment for this people. Do not turn them to banditry. With the reduction of troops confidence will be restored among traders and that will provide further employment for the vast masses in this country that are living on the verge of starvation.

"At the present moment trade is languishing, brought about by the misrule of the tuchuns, and unless a remedy is found we may shortly find that many factories will have to shut down altogether.

"Ladies and gentlemen, most of us truly love this vast country in which we have spent the best part of our lives and nothing would cause us greater pleasure that to see the restoration of peace and good order, which will be the means of bringing prosperity and happiness to all. I therefore ask you to give this resolution your cordial support and carry it with acclamation."

SPEAKS FOR WOMEN

Dr. Anne Walter Fearn, president of the American Woman's Club and spokesman also for the British Woman's Association and

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TWO STEAMERS FROM AMERICA ARRIVING TODAY

The T. K. K. liner Shinyo Maru, from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports is due to arrive here early this afternoon and will sail for Hongkong tomorrow. The tender with incoming passengers is expected to reach the Customs jetty between 5 and 6 p.m. and the outgoing tender will leave with passengers and baggage at 9:30 a.m. tomorrow.

Bringing a big mail, a full complement of passengers and freight, the Empress of Russia will arrive at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports early this afternoon and sails for Hongkong direct in the evening. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 4.30 p.m., and the Alexandra with Hongkong passengers for Woosung will leave at 6 o'clock.

Three big trans-Pacific liners are leaving Shanghai for American ports next week, and following the sailing of the Haruna Maru today, the steamers Cordillere and Sardinia will sail for Marseilles and London on June 3 and 9.

The Empress of Canada, the first of the three for America, will sail for Vancouver next Monday, the President McKinley, for Seattle on Wednesday, and the President Cleveland is going to San Francisco via Honolulu as well as Kobe and Yokohama on Saturday, June 9.

The President Jackson which brought a heavy mail from the States and docked at the China Merchants Central Wharf on Thursday, will sail for Hongkong and Manila at noon today.

Taking mail for Europe, the Haruna Maru which arrived from Japan ports on Thursday, is sailing for Marseilles and London this morning, and the tender with passengers for the vessel will leave the Customs jetty at 10 o'clock.

Ordinary mail for Southern, Indian and European ports to be sent on the Haruna will close at 7 a.m. today.

Mails from Europe are due to arrive on the Devanha next Tuesday, and the Ch'ii Saturday next week. The Devanha comes from London and is expected to leave Hongkong at noon today whereas the Chili is coming from Marseilles.

The Blue Funnel passenger steamer Telresias, from Liverpool via ports, left Hongkong at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon and is due in Shanghai about 7 o'clock tomorrow morning.

GOES TO PEKING FOR CONFERENCE ON OPIUM FIGHT

This morning Dr. F. Rawlinson leaves Shanghai for Peking in order to see Dr. H. Graham Aspland, secretary of the International Anti-Opium Association, and a few others specially interested in the opium question in order to follow up the action taken by the National Christian Council a fortnight ago. It is expected that a special committee may be constituted in Peking to follow up the matter with vigor, and that a suitable person may be discovered to give his whole time to this work on behalf of the N. C. C. and the Anti-Opium League. The fact that international co-operation is necessary in order to handle this difficult problem clearly points to Peking as the center in China from which to work.

It is hoped by all anti-opium workers that this action will be the first step in carrying forward the war against opium with greater vigor and toward ultimate success.

Maxims Cafe

An elaborate and attractive program has been arranged for this evening by the Maxims Cafe management as an inauguration of their Summer season.

A "Muscovite Ballet" will be one of the principal features, with Mlle. Lucy de Sheimo, talented young classical dancer, M. Jean Ville and M. S. Grulesky, starring in the production. An attractive and handsomely gowned chorus will assist i the numbers. The program is under the personal direction of Mr. A. de Sheimo.

Maxims' has announced a "family" policy and the management states that it will cater to first class trade only, endeavoring to give service and entertainment calculated to please the best class of patrons.

HOUSING BILL

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 31.—A housing Decontrol Bill was introduced by Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Minister of Health, in the House of Commons today providing that the Rent Restrictions Act of 1920 should continue in force until June 24, 1925.

MUTT & JEFF -:- Desperate Cases Require Desperate Remedies -:- By Bud Fisher

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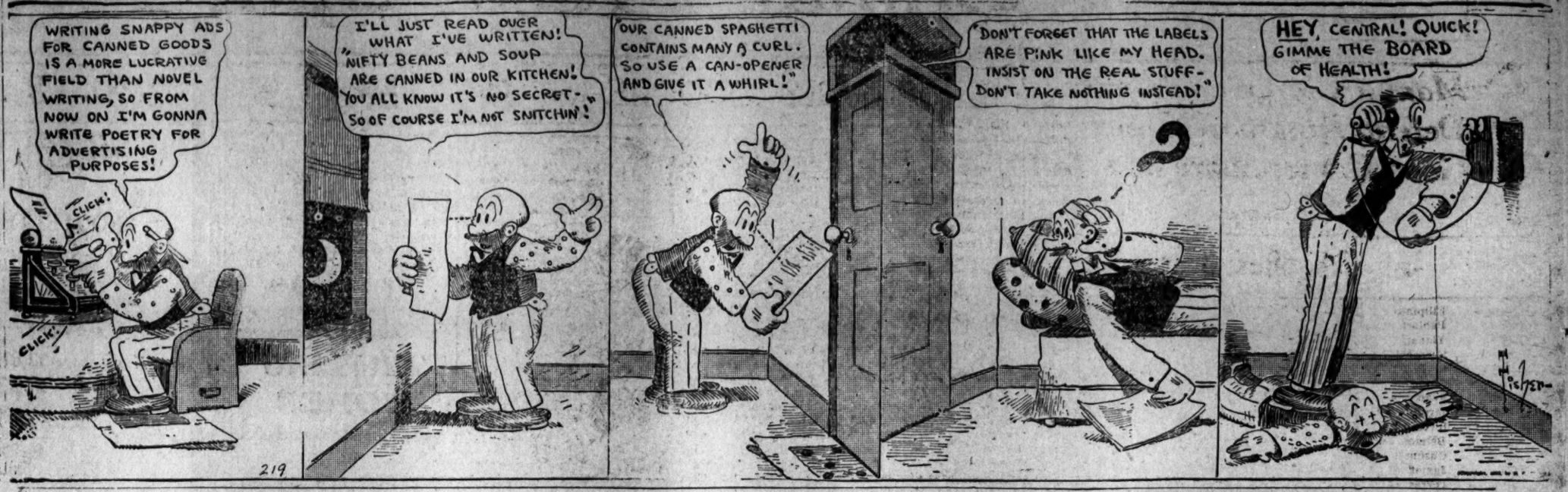
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News Brevities

As tomorrow will be the last Sunday for classes to be held at the Union Church Sunday School, it has been arranged to have classes of a special nature with the scholars. The teachers and officers hope that all the scholars will make a special effort to be present at the usual hour. The School closes for the Summer vacation on the 10th, when the annual prize giving service will be held.

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Alexander Hume Ford, director of the Pan-Pacific Union in Honolulu, is expected to arrive in Shanghai Monday afternoon, according to a telegram received from him in Peking by Mr. George A. Fitch, secretary of the local Pan-Pacific Association. The directors of the local association will meet Mr. Ford at tiffin at the Union Club Tuesday.

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In connection with the report on the meeting of the Rotary Club at the Institute of Chinese Blind in yesterday's China Press, the name of Dr. W. W. Peter, who was mentioned as one of the two physicians giving free service to the inmates, should read Dr. Julian Petit, secretary of the club.

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The regular session of the Shanghai Missionary Association will take place Tuesday at St. John's University, Jessfield. There will be a social gathering from 5:30 to 6:30 with an entertainment by the Ladies of the American Church Mission. Following the devotional period a paper on "The Task of the National Christian Council in the Light of the Recent Meeting" will be read by the Rev. Henry T. Hodgkin, secretary of the council. The annual election of officers will also take place at this meeting. Visiting missionaries and friends are invited to be present.

Statistical Expert Publishes Book

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latter months of 1922 there were welcome, signs of awakening activity and increased demand, so in China the feeling prevailed in some quarters at the close of the year that the upward swing of the pendulum leading to trade revival might be looked for and that the end of what, no doubt, had been an exceedingly trying period had been reached."

OPTIMISM FADES.

It is true that at the begining of the present year business in China was picking up and sentiment was also getting better, the one following the other naturally. While then there was a good deal of optimism in many quarters it has now become for the most part restrained and quiet. This is explained by the internal disturbances which has been destroying all sentiment and the optimism of the dealers. Merchants have, therefore, been prevented from increasing their stocks of merchandise and are doing so now by very slow degrees.

Until conditions in the interior become more stable the tendency will be to act more cautiously about future committments. The memory of the bruises and hurts of a few years ago, when many concerns were skating on thin ice are still fresh. Many traders are waiting for a better state of affairs before contracting for quantities of merchandise on their own account. This conservatism is natural after the unfortunate experience of last year when trade was disrupted by the action of warring generals. Interest must center, however, rather in what is going to happen, especially from the political standpoint.

In conclusion, we might be allowed to add that the Statistical Department is the only Chinese Government organisation that issues statistical reports regularly. We understand that some reports are published by the Board of Communications about railways, but these are always a few years behind and are not generally accessible and not issued at regular intervals as the present one. The statistical Department is an offshoot of the Chinese Maritime Customs, the Shanghai Inspectorate being part of the Statistical Inspectorate at Peking. We congratulate Mr. Ferguson in bringing out his report three weeks earlier than usual.

U. S. Not To Seize Rum On Ships That Sail Before June 10

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 31.—It is officially announced that alcoholic liquor for beverage purposes on board foreign ships sailing for America before June 10 will not be seized at American ports.

Dispute On Mine Wages Is Deferred

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 31.—A miners' conference at Blackpool today by a large majority adopted a resolution by the Executive in favor of adjourning the discussion on the National Wage Agreement till the annual conference at Folkestone in July, pending action by the House of Commons with regard to a bill providing for a minimum wage for miners based on the cost of living.

TO FREE EGYPTIANS

(Reuter's Service)

Cairo, May 31.—The members of the Egyptian Wafd who are interned at the Seychelles will be released tomorrow. Their future movements will not be restricted.

STRIKE NEAR END

(Reuter's Service)

Bombay, May 31.—The Ahmedabad mill strike, which began on April 1, shows signs of ending. The workers of two mills are returning to work, accepting a 20 percent cut in wages.

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The Chairman said:

"This extraordinary meeting has been convened to reconsider the question of acquiring a reserve of land, details of which I gave you in my speech at the annual meeting. At that time opposition was raised by two shareholders present and as none of the other shareholders present arose to support the Board's recommendation, the Board had to accept an amendment to the resolution adopting the report and accounts, eliminating that paragraph headed 'reserve land.'

"Subsequently when most of those other shareholders present at the annual meeting had had the opportunity of reading and digesting the Chairman's speech they came to the conclusion that the acquisition of a reserve would be a desirable thing for the Company. They accordingly wrote the Company a letter dated April 16 the outcome of which is this extraordinary general meeting.

I want to repeat to you the assurances I gave to you at the annual meeting, that no fresh issue of capital shall be made under par, i.e. Tapls 4.50, that no development shall take place before sufficient capital to finance such development is issued, and that when development does take place it will probably be spread over say a four year program thus giving the Company every opportunity of adopting the very latest principles of planting.

"Gentlemen, I am glad to tell you the opposition to the purchase of reserve land is now withdrawn and as we all seem to be in accord on the question, it is unnecessary for me to take up more of your valuable time. I have therefore much pleasure in proposing the following Resolution which is seconded by Mr. S. A Hardoon. 'That the Board of Directors is hereby authorised to exercise the option now in hand for the purchase of 1,200 acres of jungle land in Middle Java at a cost of Guilders 40,000.'

"Gentlemen, I am advised that this is an Ordinary Resolution needing no confirmation at a confirmatory meeting."

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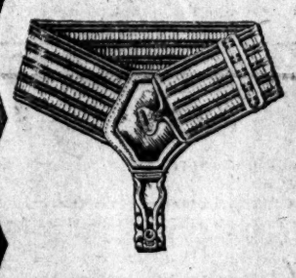
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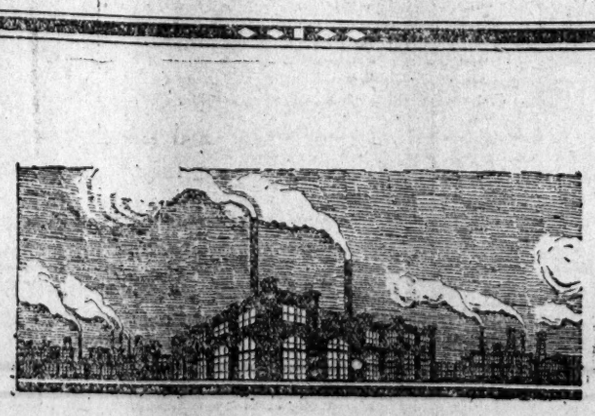
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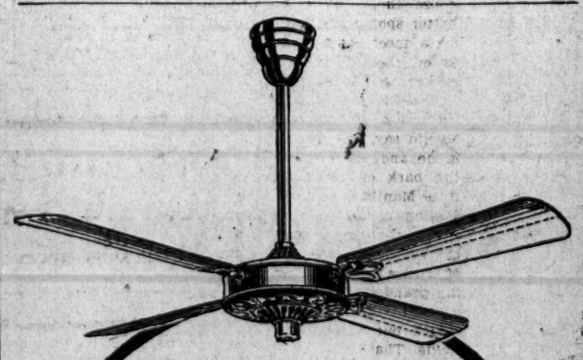
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Manila Olympic Champs Defeat Kingman Crew In Good Game, Score Is 4 To 1

By Westa

-:- The Box Score -:-

Filipinos	AB	R	H	TB	SH	BB	SO	SB	PO	A	E
Pablo rf	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Ylanan 2b	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0
Conseco 2b	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
C. Platon c	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	0
Ciriaco c	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Regis 1b	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	11	0	1
Jaropillo rf	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1
Birtulpo p	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belmonte p	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gusom p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Javier p	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Torres cf	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
Montalbo cf	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Bernals 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
M. Platon ss	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	1	0
Totals	31	4	7	8	1	3	4	4	24	7	2

Shanghai	AB	R	H	TB	SH	BB	SO	SB	PO	A	E
Bills ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	0
Holliday cf 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Kingman 1b	4	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	13	0	0
Bruce c	3	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	3	2	1
Scott lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Pepper rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Smith 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
Thatch 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Taylor cf	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howland 3b	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Tayler p	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	31	1	6	6	1	1	5	1	24	9	3

Score by innings:

Filipinos	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—4
Shanghai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Summary. Earned runs, Filipinos 3; Two base hits, Birtulpo; First base on balls, off Taylor, Ylanan, Regis, Jaropillo, Off Belmonte, Smith; Struck out, By Taylor, C. Platon, Javier, Torres, Montalbo, By Birtulpo, Bruce, Smith, By Belmonte, Scott, By Javier, Pepper, Left on bases, Shanghai 7, Filipinos 5, passed balls, Bruce, First base on errors, Shanghai 2, Filipinos 2; Innings pitched, By Birtulpo 3, by Belmonte 2, by Gusom 2, by Javier 1, by Taylor 8, Umpires, Plate, Stovall, Bases, O'Brien. Time of game, one hour, forty minutes.

Them birds, remarked an American sailor at the baseball game yesterday, is a shoe on the other foot. He was referring to the Filipino Olympic champions and spoke with some elation, remembering the recent series of indignities inflicted upon his shipmates by the erstwhile Gallopers.

He was dead right about it, too. The shoe, besides being on the other foot, was about three sizes too small, and in addition to that the foot was suffering from an acute attack of Manila itch, which is much more aggravating and painful than the Hongkong hoof malady, when the Philippine walkovers had made their sale and rung up the proceeds in the old cash register.

However, there was something to the game besides corns and bunions, and except for the Shantung bandit outbreak, or dastardly outrage as the esteemed Mercury has been calling it several times daily for a month, we would have licked the tar out of them. Along toward the last, when they were just beginning to weaken, the Gallopers put on a driving finish that carried them to within three runs of a tie and if the party hadn't been bobtailed in order to give the customers a chance to attend the bandit mass meeting at the town hall the visitors would have gone home cussing the day that Admiral Dewey dropped anchor in their midst long enough to convince them that baseball was a better sport than bull fighting. The mass meeting was the thing that saved them from a ninth inning walloping. The score was 4 to 1.

The Filipinos started off with the crack of the gun, or as one should say, seeing this was a ball game and not a track meet, with the bark of the umpire to make it a Manila holiday. Pablo and Ylanan connected for simon pure pokes, the former scoring aminute later when a wide one hopped out of Bruce's clutches and rolled to the grandstand, the second sacker going to third. C. Platon then struck out and Taylor tossed out Regis. That brought Jaromillo un, and as he has a deserved reputation as a fence buster the Shanghai rhubarbians moved back. This was unnecessary, however, as Taylor deadheaded him. Then along came Birtulpo, who prodded one into a dash of pepper being exactly what we needed at that stage of the proceedings. Mr. Pepper, however, like that late lamented Casey, struck completely out.

It was a good game and the score was a fair measure of the relative merits of the two teams. The Filipinos might be inclined to dispute this statement, but it goes, net, nevertheless. Taylor showed better on the mound than any of their string, allowing but one more hit and working with far less support. Kingmen's men lack, as yet, the machine like precision that will come with more practice, whereas the Manila boys have been playing together a long time, and are, moreover, in good trim.

Yesterday's game was distinguished by two great fielding plays, both by that fine ol' timer, Freddy Bills. Both were perfectly scintillating, and one of them was so absolutely hair raising that the whole crowd, regulars, Filipinos, sailors, Japanese, coolies and deadheads (putting the deadheads last in the list, which is the place they occupy in the estimation of those who make baseball possible in this town) cheering and applauding the brilliant shortstopper until Fred-

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Walter Holliday's territory, scoring both Ylanan and Jaropillo and going to second on the throw in. Torres flew out to center.

The Olympic champs got another in the sixth thanks to a bobble by Smith, a sacrifice and a single by the other Platon.

As for the Gallopers, all they did on the early part of the game was to hold the opposition in check thanks chiefly to really brilliant pitching on the part of Taylor. In the eighth, after Bills succumbed on a high one to the shortstop Holliday was retired, Bernales to first. That brought the skipper up and he punched a high, twisting fly to the shortstop with so much stuff on it that all that worthy could do was to get his fingertips on it. Bruce hit an easy one to the pitcher that looked like the third out, but Regis dropped it, Harry going to third. Then who should step up but our old friend Scotty, with his eye full of blood and his mouth full of froth, and bust one on the nose for a good, healthy single. That brought the skipper home just in time to kick a hole in the goose egg that the tourists were preparing for our gang. It then began to look a bit like a rally, with our Mr. Pepper coming up,

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Fine Bouts At Stadium, Chadwick Shows Class

That Shanghai sportsmen will accord full support to fast fighting and respond unmistakably when adequate boxing bills are offered was demonstrated last night when the third program of the new Stadium was put on before a crowd that filled the big mat shed, numbering about eight hundred.

In the big gathering were many Chinese and it is noteworthy also that not a few of them brought their wives and daughters who obviously were impressed if not edified by the really excellent slugging display that was given.

The fact that a number of substitutions of principals had to be made in no wise marred the bill, for each of the bouts was filled with swift action and at times extremely clever fighting.

Battling Gleason scheduled for the main go of twelve rounds with Charlie White broke his thumb yesterday and due to this the Hongkong lightweight champion Chadwick who is to figure in the main event at the next show went on. Chadwick went in at 132 pounds giving White fifteen pounds.

(1) White dwarfed his opponent Chadwick was the aggressor and placed several well timed punches over the heart which rattled his tall opponent.

(2) Chadwick with an effective right hook connected frequently with the result that Whites took considerable punishment and was in a bad way the gong saving him.

(3) Was a repitition of the previous two Chadwick completely outboxing his tall opponent who took considerable punishment, the gong again saving him.

(4) Chadwick always a winner boxed very cleverly and coolv and had his opponent clearly dazed. who fell after the round had been in progress for a minute. Taking the count.

(5) White apparently mistook the referee's count, but the referee was right. White never rose in time. He is to be commended for his pluck, but he never once looked like a winner over his agile little opponent Chadwick is certainly a find and his match against Matty Smith on the 15 will be eagerly looked forward to.

MATTY SMITH REFEREE

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Hyko a brown boy proved to be a sturdy block of a fighter but with little speed preferring to indulge in infighting and a good deal of wrestling. Boyle was much the better boxer and the verdict in his favor was the correst one. He possesses a snappy uppercut but it is a mistake to adopt it as his one offensive.

Had he chosen to outbox his opponent he would have easily beaten his sturdy opponent. Against a more scientific boxer his right uppercut in use so frequently would land him into serious trouble. Had both men indulged in less clinching a better bout would have resulted.

The semi-final event of six rounds between Nick Boyle and Kid Kyko at 140 pounds swiftly developed into a hit and clinch affair consisting almost altogether of in-fighting in which Kyko absorbed a fearful amount of punishment after Boyle virtually won the fight in the first round by landing a machine gun volley of blows to his opponent's stomach. The bout went the whole distance though it was Boyle's fight from start to finish.

In the preliminaries Cesario and Roman put on the curtain raiser which was won by Cesario. Valencia at 120 pounds fighting Al Lascar at 147 pounds won the second preliminary and the third staged between Babe Siemssen and Abe Ezra was won handily by ...emssen.

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Solomon Traces Histories Of Sap

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40) and handled all military personnel matters for the division. Major Pinger was the first and last regular officer (other than his chief) in the supply division, and would have gotten to France had the war lasted 3 weeks longer.

He has one younger brother Captain Frank W. Pinger Medical Corps, now stationed at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco. He is married and has two children. They were also captured by these devils, but were released.

I guess that's about all I can tell you about the Major except that he's a good dishwasher here in camp and doesn't snore at night.

THE MEDICO

Continuing in the role of 'The Gentleman With A Duster' we have for our next subject my second cell-mate, the Medico of Paotzuku, Major Robert A. Allen, Medical Corps, U. S. Army.

Born on a farm at Lena, Ill., in 1877. Graduated in 1900 from Beloit College, Wisconsin, and from Northwestern University (Chicago) as an M.D. in 1906.

Practiced medicine in Tacoma, Washington, from 1906 until the outbreak of the war. Served in the army from August 1, 1917, to September 23, 1919, during which time he was at Lake Charles, La., Ellington Field, Texas, and then at Vancouver Barracks, Wash. until the Armistice. He resigned from the army and again practiced at Tacoma until he received his commission in the regular army in November, 1920.

His present station is at Fort William McKinley at Manila. He also is married and has a son. Mrs. Allen and Robert, Jr., were also captured but later released.

THE RUSSKY

The fourth occupant of our cell dug-out is Private Bandit Russky who sleeps across the door, armed to the teeth. He's our favorite guard upon whom we have bestowed the moniker of "Ivan." Ivan says he never was a bandit before (we think he is a liar), and he never stole anything in his life before the train hold-up.

And he swears all he got in the way of loot was a grey stetson (which he wears), three or four short Chinese coats (all of which he has on) and last, but not least, Berube's tuxedo. The pants he gave away as they were too tight.

He parades about in the following costume: grey stetson, dirty white Chinese pants too dirty undershirts, four silk Chinese short coats, topped off with Berube's tuxedo coat. In his belt he has a gigantic carving knife. He carries a rifle and around his neck is a necklace of 50 clips of 5 cartridges each. Altogether he looks like a Chinese edition of Captain Kidd. Considering everything he's not a bad fellow and treats us better than any of the other guards.

He goes about camp all day singing Russian songs and shouting Russian at the clouds playing leap-frog over our peak, and tells a story—my Russian is very limited—that he left his Russian wife and three year old son in Harbin to worship at the grave of his parents. He was kidnapped by this band of robbers and forced to join them as an outlaw under penalty of being shot if he didn't.

He says he has spent the last 8 years in Russia—Moscow, Omsk, Irkutse and Petrograd. During the war he was valet to a Russian general, which sounds plausible as he speaks Russian very well, knows every part of a gun in Russian, knows all the army drill and is otherwise well qualified as a bandit.

A MOTLEY MOB

Now just a word for the rest of our guards. They are a mixed bunch of farmers, soldiers, pirates sailors, laundrymen wheel-barrow coolies, villagers and real honest-to-gawd bandits.

They are fat, thin, short, tall, light brown, dark brown and almost black. Each one looks, and is, pure outlaw, and armed to the teeth. They're not a bad bunch personally and we have no kick of the treatment we get from them now. They give us the best they have—which isn't much—and, in turn, smoke all the cigarettes and rope cigars we hand out. The storekeeper bandit is the "fresh bird" because he wears a clean white shirt and speaks about 30 words of English.

THE CHIEF

Now we come to the chief in command of things here on the roof of the world. This bird is an ex-soldier but has grown his pigtail again. Make no mistake about this guy—he always was and always will be a bandit. But he's not such a bad cuss either. He calls on us every day to learn our wants and bum a smoke—it happens that he's sitting here talking things over with Russky as I write.

Besides the regular bandits we have six or seven irregular bandits—coolie bandits—who carry water and supplies most of the time.

Each morning sometime between 9.30 and 11 about a dozen bandits including some officers, come up and give the three of us the once-over, and then go back. Each time a different bunch comes. They do it so that they can go back to the villages in which they keep look-outs for the troops and boast about the foreign devils they are holding until they get what they want.

After dinner tonight, while walking around the parapet and looking at the lights in Tsao Chuang—which we can see plainly on clear nights—we noticed a large fire in a village 8 or 10 li to the North, then a smaller fire about 5 li to the East. Then about 10 or 12 li Southeast we could see troops signalling by code from one division to another, but couldn't make out the code they were using.

The Chief spotted them as quickly as we did and a terrific walla-walla set up. I suppose their chin-music will keep us awake half the night.

Recs' Line-Up For Today's Cricket Game

The following have been selected to represent the S.R.C. in today's game with the Police:

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Cricket

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At Gravesend Lancashire beat Kent by 125 runs. Makepeace made 80 in Lancashire's first innings and Parkin took 7 Kent wickets for 21 in the first innings.

At Gloucester Gloucestershire beat Leicestershire by 5 wickets. Mills the Gloucester bowler, took 5 wickets for 46 and 7 for 33. Geary took 6 wickets for 13 in Gloucester's first innings.

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Town Hall Thronged By Foreign Citizens To Pass Resolution

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for various other foreign women's organisations of the city, was next called upon by the chairman to speak in support of the resolution.

Dr. Fearn's speech follows:

"In the few moments allotted me this afternoon, I wish to touch upon the three emotions which must fill the heart of every woman at this time—

"INDIGNATION at the spirit of lawlessness in individuals and in Government which could permit the detention and looting of a train of innocent non-combatants travelling for business or pleasure in a country supposedly at peace—a callousness which permitted these bandits to force their prisoners of both sexes to march incredible distances without even the ordinary necessary clothes or shoes or food, or water.

"SYMPATHY for the chivalrous men still detained who have insisted upon the successive release of the women and children and the aged and physically unfit of the captured men unable to bear the hardships they still bear. Sympathy with those who must suffer even more than the captives themselves, their friends and loved ones, here in Shanghai or in China or far away, who sit and wait and dread what may happen to those whom they love and upon whom they are dependant. Much as we may pity the captives, they are undergoing an experience full of novelty and the spirit of adventure. If they survive they have a story which will never cease to interest; if they die, they will have the reward of heroes who nobly faced their fate, for all accounts agree that they have never allowed their philosophy to sink to the dead level of stolidity. But for those they love, their wives, their children, their mothers, their sweethearts—for those there is the empty chair, the horror of the unknown the vague dread of they know not what, the necessity of anticipating horrors which they cannot share or relieve. As woman we cannot be denied the privilege of sympathy for these. As women we admire the courage of Mrs. Verea who refused to leave her husband until she was forced to do so, but after all, was it not the lesser of the two evils to suffer with the loved one, than to sit and wait?

WHAT OF FUTURE?

"CONCERN FOR THE FUTURE. As a physician, it is my duty to look back of the sympton for the cause of the disease. In dealing with this outrage, we must make certain that we are not simply relieving a symptos, is not this particular piece of banditry but the most glaring illustration of a spirit which is abroad in the land—a spirit which threatens the peace and security and honor of every woman and girl in the lonely outposts of this great land? In a thousand isolated places, outside the Treaty Ports in which we live in comparative security and even in luxury, there are men and women living who have not counted their lives dear unto themselves in order that they might bring to this people the knowledge of a better way. If the spirit of lawlessness goes unrebuked they are facing a daily increasing menace, as misguided men, free from the restraints of law, of the fear of what men may do, go about pillaging and destroying.

"We are on the verge of summer, and hundreds and thousands of women and children will soon be preparing to journey to the resorts in which they find companionship and social uplift and relief from the heat and the terrors of summer diseases. It is not wanderlust or the mere seeking of pleasure, but the very instinct for self-preservation, the desire to keep themselves fit for the tasks of the colder months, which impels these people, justifiably, to seek the mountains and the sea.

ARE RESORTS SAFE?

"Today a nameless dread clutches at the heart as these yearly pilgrimages begin. Schools are closing and children are about to return to the parents from whom they have been separated for a year. Is it safe to let them go? Is Kuling safe? Is Chikungshan safe? Is Kuliang safe? Is Peitaiho safe without a British gun-boat close at hand? Is even Mokanshan safe?

"If our presence in China is justifiable on any grounds, whether they be commercial or diplomatic or humanitarian, have we not a right to expect and to demand from the government under which we live, security of life, limb, property and honor, in the pursuit of our legitimate occupations? If the government under which we live cannot guarantee it, we have the right to seek, and do seek those guarantees from those we represent—the nations across the seas.

"In the name of civilisation we demand that those who are held shall be released—that adequate compensation shall be made to them for the loss of time and the deprivations they have innocently undergone—but even more, that steps shall at once be taken to make a recurrence of this kind of outrage against civilisation impossible, or at least highly improbable.

"And just here, in conclusion, I speak for every woman in this land when I say that we wish not only to support our separate Governments in what ever they are doing, or may do, to relieve this terrible situation, but offer our services collectively and individually, if in any way we can be of assistance to them or to those so unjustly held in captivity.

"In the name of the British Women's Association, the American Woman's Club and of every woman in this land, I most heartily endorse the resolution presented to you this afternoon."

NINGPO SENDS WIRE

Sir Skinner Turner then rose to state that as he came into the hall he had been handed a telegram from the British Chamber of Commerce at Ningpo, which read as follows:

"The British Chamber of Commerce of Ningpo desires to associate itself with the movement in Shanghai and to strengthen it with a view to the securing of better government in China."

Sir Skinner Turner added:

"I have also been handed a letter requesting me to inform you that on Sunday next there is to be held a mass meeting of the Chinese in Shanghai, endorsing any action which we may take today, and asking for a copy of any resolutions we may pass and assuring me that the aims and ideas of the Chinese people coincide with ours."

The announcement was received with prolonged applause.

The chairman then again read the resolution and put it before the meeting.

When the vote "for" was called a forest of hands shot up, to the accompaniment of cheers and shouts of aye."

"The resolution is carried," Sir Skinner Turner announced, after the formality of calling for the contra vote, "without a dissenting voice in the biggest public meeting I have ever seen in Shanghai."

When the cheering had subsided, he continued:

"I take it that it will be your pleasure that I as your chairman shall send the resolution to the Doyen of the Diplomatic Body at Peking as an expression of your united opinion, and I shall be very pleased to do so on your behalf."

Sir Edward Pearce called for a vote of thanks to the chairman and the throng then filed slowly out of the big hall.

Olympic Champs Beat Gallopers

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dy, who is a sunburned and seasoned campaigner, blushed like a school girl receiving the school board's congratulations upon the occasion of her validictory spooch at a high school commencement.

This play was in the seventh, with the slugging Jaropillo at bat. The Philippine Babe Ruth, who in three times up at bat had been turned back by the smoothly working Taylor, stepped up in the seventh determined to crack one that would tear an infielder's legs off. On the second pitched ball, right over and waist high, he connected, and with the crack of the bat it certainly looked like any infielder who had the temerity to get in front of it would have his legs torn off, according to plan. The ball shot like a riproaring bullet five feet to the right of second, and Freddy, making a desperate, sidelong leap, scooped it with his gloved hand, quickly recovered his balance and tossed it straight as an arrow in Kingman's flabbergasted but waiting mit for a put out. Mates she were some grab, and Freddy ol' timer, in behalf of the popeyed and open-mouthed multitude, you are hereby properly salaamed and saluted.

Freddy's other play was in the second, when Smith stopped one from the visiting catcher's bat. Smith picked it up on the run and in the almost the same motion pitched it with a hurried two handed throw to Bills, who had run over to second for a force out. Due to his haste, Smith pitched it three feet over Freddy's head from a distance of eight feet away, but the shortstopper went up and speared it, dropping back on the bag just in time for the put out. It was a play that not many infielders would have made.

The Manila pitchers, of whom four were placed upon the mound for inspection, had our gang pretty well stopped. Harry got three in four times up, but the others were not giving much offensive support Bruce looked good behind the bat, considering the fact that he has had practically no practice, and in this lad Taylor we have picked up the most promising pitcher that has shown here in many years. He will win a lot of games for the Gallopers.

Be it said for the Manila boys that their exhibition was tremendously appreciated. They are fine fellows all, great ball players, and we are all mighty glad they won the Olympic championship. All Shanghai fans sincerely regret that they cannot be with us longer and here's hoping we may have the pleasure of seeing them in action again.

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59308 J 3

DITALE

Ilido Casanova Consul Geral de Portugal en Shanghai

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59323 J 2

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59338 J 2

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59319 J 2

Harbour Notification No. 10 of 1923

Harbour Regulations for the Port of Shanghai

With reference to Whangpoo Conservancy Board Notification No. 125 of 7th February, 1923, relative to the disposal of dredged mud etc., which becomes operative from 5th June, 1923, the public is hereby reminded that in accordance with Clause 37 of the Harbour Regulations the dumping into the river of ballast, ashes, garbage, refuse and spoil, obtained by dredging or otherwise, is forbidden.

The Whangpoo Conservancy Board undertakes to dispose of mud from private frontage dredging operations and is prepared at reasonable rates to empty mud barges, provided they are of suitable construction and delivered alongside the mud pump.

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H. E. HILLMAN,
Harbour Master

Approved:
L. A. Lyall,
Commissioner of Customs.
CUSTOM HOUSE,
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Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each, according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May, 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:—

1—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates, shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each.

3—The Debentures will be redeemable at par (Tls. 100 each) in not less than 10 years and not more than 30 years, from 1st December 1933 and according to the figures determinated by the Council.

4—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

5—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next. A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. LEGENDRE, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

By Order,
P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

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Whangpoo Conservancy Board

Notification No. 129.

TENDERS FOR TOW-BOAT

Tenders are hereby invited for the construction of one steam tow-boat. General arrangement plan and specifications may be had on application at the offices of the Board, No. 6 Kiukiang Road. Sealed tenders addressed to the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, Shanghai and marked *"Tender for Tow Boat"* must be delivered at the Board's office before noon on June 12th, 1923.

The Board do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

(Signed) H. VON HEIDENSTAM
Engineer-in-Chief.

Shanghai, 1st June, 1923.

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NOTICE

Dr. R. A. Thompson, Optical Specialist, assisted by one of Shanghai's well known Oculists, is now located in Suite 504, 25 Jinkee Road (Chung Foo Bank Building).

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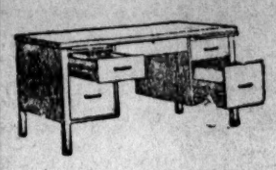

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL
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59197

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The Shanghai Chemical Laboratory
No. 20 Nanking Road
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Business and Official Notices

Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.

Further Issue of Tls. 300,000 7 per cent Debentures at the price of Tls. 107.00 per cent.

The Directors will be prepared to receive applications on and after 1st December, 1922, for Tls. 300,000 debentures redeemable at par after 10 years on six months' notice) and on or before December 31st, 1952 (being part of an authorised issue of Tls. 4,000,000 bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable half-yearly on June 30th and December 31st of each year at the price of Tls. 107.00 per Tls. 100.00 debenture.

Copies of the Prospectus with full particulars and forms of application may be obtained at the Company's Head Office. No. 69 Kiangse Road, Shanghai.

By Order of the Directors,
W. R. WALTER,
Secretary.

Shanghai, November 29th, 1922.

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The Far Eastern Insurance Company, Limited

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

A Dividend at the rate of six percent, being One Tael and 20 Cents per Share, on the Paid-Up Capital of the above Company, has been declared payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, or the Russo-Asiatic Bank, Shanghai, on and after this date, to Shareholders on record on the 19th May, 1923.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
C. M. G. BURNIE,
General Manager.

Shanghai, 29th May, 1923.

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LOST

A native Pass-book issued by the Zeang Yue Bank, (聲越莊) in name of the Woo Yee Loong, was stolen on May 29, at the Ning-shao wharf.

The said Bank has been notified to register the loss and to issue a new one in lieu of the original, which is hereby declared null and void.

WOO YEE LOONG
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Announcement

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Shanghai, June 1st, 1923.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

A dividend at the rate of Twenty per cent., being Dollars Two per Share, on the Paid-Up Capital of the above Association, has been declared payable in Taels at Exchange 73, at the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, or the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Shanghai, on and after this date, to Shareholders on record on the 19th May, 1923.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
C. M. G. BURNIE,
General Manager.

Shanghai, 29th May, 1923.

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T.F. 180

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THE FEARON DANIEL COMPANY
June 1, 1923.

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S. S. "M. S. Dollar" From New York.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship's damaged cargo ex the S.S. "M. S. Dollar," will be held at the Dollar Pai Lien Chien Wharf, on Monday, June 4th, at 10.00 a.m. when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine and Cargo Surveyors, will be in attendance.

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Chinese Government Railways.
TIENTSIN-PUKOW LINE.

NOTIFICATION NO. 332.

TRAIN SERVICES (194-52).

The Administration begs to call the Public's attention to the alteration of our Time Table regarding the time of departures and arrivals of our Through Express Trains No. 1 Down, and No. 2 Up, and of our Mail Trains No. 3 Down, and No. 4 Up. Under instructions of the Ministry of Communications the new time table will be put into force from 21st inst., as follows:

MAIL	THROUGH EXPRESS	STATIONS	THROUGH EXPRESS	
3	1		2	
	16.40 dep.	Peking	arr. 1.30	
	20.00 arr.	Tientsin-East	dep. 22.10	
14.35	20.27 dep.	Tientsin-East	arr. 21.30	24.02
14.45	20.37 arr.	Tientsin-Cent.	dep. 21.20	23.52
15.00	20.47 dep.	Tientsin-Cent.	arr. 21.10	23.42
18.21	23.37 dep.	Tsangchow	dep. 18.22	20.28
21.28	2.16 dep.	Techow	dep. 15.55	17.46
0.16	4.46 arr.	Tsinanfu	dep. 13.16	14.47
0.31	4.50 dep.	Tsinanfu	arr. 13.06	14.37
2.51	7.02 dep.	Taianfu	dep. 11.24	12.35
4.50	8.48 arr.	Yenchowfu	dep. 9.15	10.15
5.10	9.03 dep.	Yenchowfu	arr. 8.55	9.55
7.46	11.22 dep.	Lincheng	dep. 6.51	7.32
9.29	12.50 arr.	Hsuchowfu	dep. 5.03	5.24
9.44	13.00 dep.	Hsuchowfu	arr. 4.58	4.34
13.39	16.20 arr.	Pengpu	dep. 1.34	0.36
13.49	16.30 dep.	Pengpu	arr. 1.24	0.13
18.49	20.57 arr.	Pukow	dep. 21.00	19.10

BY ORDER,
THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Tientsin, 20th May, 1923.

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Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India Australia and China

Incorporated in England by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,800,000
Reserve Liabilities £3,000,000

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38 Bishopsgate London, E. C.
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Bombay	Klang	Seremban
Calcutta	Kobe	Shanghai
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Y. KATADH, Manager.
M. F. CHANG, Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
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Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
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L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

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N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

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Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
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Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
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May 31—Tsinhsing from Hankow
June 1—H. N'shao from Ningpo
June 1—H. Peking from Ningpo
June 1—Haeam from Foochow
June 1—Hsinchang from H'kong
June 1—Taishin M. from Foochow
June 1—Tsuru M. from Japan
June 1—Whangpu from Hankow
June 1—Talee M. from Hankow
June 1—Luchow from Hongkong
June 1—Tingsang from Tientsin
June 1—Dakar M. from Japan
June 1—Atlas M. from Europe
June 1—Toonan from Chefoo
June 1—Haiying from .....
June 1—Hwahlee from N. C'toma
June 1—Japan from Calcutta
June 1—Kwongsang from Pukow
June 1—Kiangyung from Hankow

Weather Report

May 31.—High pressures over northern China and over Mongolia. The China Sea typhoon has landed by Tourane inclining N. W. ward. The Yap typhoon is nearing Mindanao filling up. The small Kiangsi depression is crossing the Eastern Sea eastward. Local calms in the north. Moderate cyclonic circulation over the Eastern Sea. Cloudy weather with intermittent rain before noon, in our Valley. Fine day in the north.
June 1.—Cloudy, cool and fine weather with light mist over the fields. Pressure relatively high and steady. N. Easterly breezes.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Taiyo Maru	May 1
Tahchee	May 2
Levant Arrow	May 6
Eldridge	May 8
President Lincoln	May 12
Harold Dollar	May 21
President Taft	May 26
Tenyo Maru	May 28
Standard Arrow	May 29

FOR VANCOUVER

Canadian Highlander	May 1
Empress of Australia	May 7
Empress of Asia	May 1

FOR SEATTLE

President Jefferson	May
Manila Maru	May
Esther Allen	May
President Grant	May
Africa Maru	May
President Madison	May

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

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Pawlet	May
West Niger	May
Hannawa	May
West Keats	May

FOR NEW YORK

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Coaxet	May
Havre Maru	May
Dacre Castle	May
Diana Dollar	Apr.
Takaoka Maru	May
Eurylochus	May
Eastern Prince	May
City of Birminghan	May
Hanover	May
Kendal Castle	June

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Mentor	May
Foucer	May
Toyohashi Maru	May
Hakozaki Maru	May
City of Florence	May
Perseus	May
Kashgar	May
Meriones	May
Glaucus	May
Kitano Maru	May
Autcmedon	May
Glenariffe	May
Nyanza	May
Elpenor	May
Neleus	May
Glenamoy	June

FOR HAMBURG

Havenstein	May
Werra	May
Amazon Maru	May

FOR DUNKIRK

Meinam	May

FOR COPENHAGEN

Malaya	May
Chile	May

FOR MARSEILLES

Armand Behic	Apr.
Paul Lecat	Apr.
Andre Lebon	Mai
Amboise	May

FOR TRIESTE

Nippon	May

FOR INDIA

Sicilia	May
Soudan	June

Financial And Commercial News

Money Exchange

Shanghai, June 1, 1923

Mexican Dollars
Market 71.875
Native 15
Shanghai Gold Bars 97o
Touch 325
Copper Cash 251.000
Bar Silver 32
Bank rate of Discount..... 8%
Paris on London 70.40
New York on London.. 462½

Banks Opening Selling Rates

London
Telegraphic Transfer 3/1½
Demand 3/1⅝
New York
Telegraphic Transfer 72¼
Demand 72½

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.) 3/1½
London (Demand) .. 3/1⅝
London 4 m-s 3/1¾
India (T.T.) 232½
France (T.T.) 1110
America (T.T.) 72¼
Hongkong (T.T.) 73⅜
Japan (T.T.) 68
Batavia (T.T.) 188
Straits (T.T.) 75

BANK'S BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits.. 3/3½
London 4 m-s Docts .. 3/3¾
London 6 m-s Credits.. 3/4
London 6 m-s Docts ..
France 4 m-s 1160
America 4 m-s L/c .. 75¼
Docs 75⅜

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 73½—Tls. 136.05
@ exch. 72.1—Mex. $188.70

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3s. 2¼d.—Tls. 6.27
@ exch. 72.1—Mex. $8.70

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JUNE

Hk. Tls. 5.61 @ 3s. 2⅜d. £1
„ 1.21 @ 74¼ Gold $1
„ 1 @ 1128 Fr. 12.57
„ 1 @ — Marks —
„ 1 66⅔ Yen 1.67
„ 1 236⅞ Rupees 2.64
„ 1 @ — Roubles —
„ 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
„ 1 @ 15.17½ Ital Lire 16.90

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CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 72½
Demand buying on America 73½
Demand selling on London 3s. 1½d.
Demand buying on London 3s. 2¼d.

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS

325.20	325.90
324.80	326.00
324.60	326.50
324.50	326.30
325.00	325.90
325.20	326.10
325.40	325.70
324.80	326.00
324.40	325.60
324.60	326.20
324.80	326.50
324.90	326.80
325.10	326.50
325.30	326.20
325.60	

CHINESE GOV. BONDS

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	Thursday.	Yes'day's
3rd year 6%	95.50	95.50
5th year 6%	53.20	53.50
7th year 6%,	44.70	45.00
9th year 6%	68.90	70.00
6% Consolidated	54.00	52.60x.d
7% Consolidated	55.70	57.00
11th year 8%	99.00	96.x.d
96 millions 8%	27.50	27.40

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

BANKS BUYING RATE

Roubles 330,000 ....Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....Mex $0.0

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Bank's Selling Rates

It. Lire 15.20=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.95=1 Tael
Marks 28.000=1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 98.25=1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 21.20=1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 137.40=100 Fr. Francs

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, June 1, 1923

OFFICIAL

May 31
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.77½ June

UNOFFICIAL

May 31
Anglo Javas Tls. 5.92½

June 1st
Tanah Merahs Tls. 0.75
Anglo Dutch Tls. 2.85
Consolidated Tls. 2.62½
Kotas Tls. 1.27½

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

June 1, 1923

Spot bar silver was down 9-16d and forward ½d in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 66 cents and the London-New York cross rate improved to 462⅝. Our official Sterling rate here today was dropped to 3-1½, the Gold Dollar rate to 72¼, the Yen rate raised to 63 and the other rates changed accordingly.

Our market here today opened steady, firmed up somewhat during the course of the Morning but weakened off again at the close.

At one time business in Sterling was done at 3s. 1⅞d. for June delivery, 3s. 1½d. for July and 3s. 1⅝ for August.

Gold Dollars were done at 73⅛ for near and forward deliveries and Yen at 67⅝.

However, later there were good buyers at there rates and at the close there were no sellers of Sterling at better than 3s. 1⅝d. for June delivery, 3s. 1½d. for July and 3s. 1⅝d. for August.

The best sellers of Gold Dollars at the close were offering 72⅝ for near and forward deliveries and 67¾ for Yen. Banks were quoting 3s. 2¼d., 74½ and 115⁶ for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

There was general selling of silver in the London market yesterday on the announcement that the U. S. Treasury purchases under the Pettman Act had been completed. The market is reported as being uncertain at the close. New York market was weak during the day.

Tramways Returns

The following is the traffic return of the Shanghai Tramways, foreign Settlement, for the month of May and for 5 months ended May 31, 1923, with figures for the corresponding periods last year:

	May, 1923
Gross receipts	$341,727.30
Loss by currency depreciation	146,603.54
Effective receipts	$195,123.76
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	44.60
Car miles run	510,622
Passengers carried	11,899,754
	May, 1922
Gross receipts	$307,579.11
Loss by currency depreciation	119,032.35
Effective receipts	$188,546.76
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	40.57
Car miles run	495,546
Passengers carried	10,827,291
	5 months ended May 31, 1923
Gross receipts	$1,571,774.27
Loss by currency depreciation	648,708.20
Effective receipts	$923,066.07
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	43.01
Car miles run	2,447,075
Passengers carried	54,643,550
	5 months ended May 31, 1922
Gross receipts	$1,417,319.63
Loss by currency depreciation	508,511.55
Effective receipts	$908,808.08
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	37.69
Car miles run	2,354,067
Passengers carried	50,029,240

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SHANGHAI, JUNE 2, 1923

WEATHER

Cloudy but fine weather with some mist in places. N. Easterly to S. Easterly winds or breezes over the yellow and the Eastern Seas and in the South.

The Mass Meeting

THE Shanghai foreign community had its innings over the Paotzuku bandits and their captives at Town Hall yesterday, and right heartily and impressively did it "go to it." Sir Skinner Turner described it as the biggest foreign assemblage it had been his privilege to see during all the years of his residence in Shanghai. The hall was filled clear to the walls and many were unable to gain admittance.

And it was a representative crowd, representative not only of all the foreign nations assembled here, but of their best. The speeches were good, especially Sir Edward Pearce's, expressive of the sane thought of the community and calculated to be helpful to the Diplomatic Corps in Peking, without in any way embarrassing that body or tying its hands.

The resolution which had been carefully and competently drawn to this end, placed on record Shanghai's "profound horror at the outrage" and "at the increasing lawlessness and misrule of which Lincheng is the culmination." Further it offered "this public and united expression of feeling" in support of and to strengthen the hands of the diplomats in making their necessary representations to the home governments "to secure the speedy release of the captives now in bandit hands and to bring the Central and Provincial authorities of China to a lasting sense of their responsibility for the restoration of order, the observance of treaty rights and the welfare of the great and friendly Chinese people."

It was adopted by acclamation. Not a dissenting voice was heard. And there followed an outburst of sincere and earnest feeling which cannot but have drawn this great foreign community, assembled here from all parts of the world, closer together and into closer understanding and accord—a side effect the importance of which for the future is not to be underestimated.

Still more important was the receipt of word from the Chinese organizations which are holding their mass meeting next Sunday that they would endorse whatever resolutions yesterday's meeting should see fit to adopt. It is not to be forgotten that there are many more Chinese captives than foreign and rather than estranging them, it may well be thought that this bandit outrage has served to draw the Chinese and foreign communities here to one another's support.

It was a great meeting unmarred by a single incident of untoward character. It served to show how close to the real heart of Shanghai the Paotzuku atrocity has come and further how deeply and sincerely concerned this community is, both Chinese and foreign, with the welfare of the "great and friendly" people among whom we live, and with the rectification of the evils which are holding China back and depriving her of her rightful and honorable place among the great nations of the world.

The Good Old Days Of Stock

BY LOWELL SHERMAN

(Now playing the lead in "Morphia" in New York).

In the fall of 1910 I went to Milwaukee to play "leads" in stock at the Shubert Theater.

Ruth Chatterton was our ingenue, Ralph Kellard our juvenile, Pauline Lord our leading woman and Edna Hibbard played child parts. Lenore Ulric was an "extra" girl.

An "extra" girl got 25 cents a performance when she "suped" or about $7 a week when she got a role. The combined weekly salaries of the entire troupe was well under $300. But it was a good company.

Our repertoire included "Quo Vadis," "The Three Musketeers," "If I Were King," "Strongheart," "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," "Sherlock Holmes," "The Girl of the Golden West," "Twelfth Night," "Ten Nights in a Barroom" and others. Everything was grist that came to our mill. We saw no reason for making a snob out of Shakespeare.

We gave seven evening performances and three matinees a week, including Sundays. We rehearsed in the morning and memorised our parts when and as we could.

Sometimes it was more "as" than "when." For instance, we were scheduled to do "Three Musketeers" on Monday evening. The manuscript was delayed in the Christmas mails and did not arrive until midnight of the Friday before. We went into rehearsal immediately and gave the performance on scheduled time without any more slips than was usual. We had no need for a four weeks' rehearsal clause.

Whether stock did us any good or not in an artistic way I don't know. It doesn't matter. But it was good for our souls. It kept us human; made us helpful and loyal and left neither room nor time for the vanity that flourishes in incandescents. We learned to help a fellow player out and to value our lives more than our art. I can illustrate both these traits.

We were playing "Quo Vadis," a long and difficult play, as you know. The last act, which is the most important one in the piece, we did not know, of course. Ralph Kellard was playing Petronius and I had the role of Marcus Venetius. In this scene we had to stand on the high platform known as the podium and describe how Ursus rescues Eunice from the horns of the bull. Well, we didn't know it and there we were. So Ruth Chatterton and another girl in the company, whose name I don't remember, held our manuscripts and read our lines to us from a table directly back of the podium. Kellard and I would look down and say. "What is it?" and our colleagues below would answer, "So and so and so and so." During the confusion we got our cues mixed, so half the time Kellard was saying my lines and I his. Sometimes we both spoke the same lines at once. The whole thing was a little vague, but the audience got the notion that the ending was happy and didn't seem to mind. Neither did we. Neither did the critics.

Now for the "safety first" idea. Art is long, but time is fleeting. That was our motto in those happy days. We put on a play called "The Little Daughter of the Rich." The second act called for a game cock fight. It was absolutely essential to the success of the play, so the stage manager went out and got two real, live birds with the deadliest looking spurs you ever saw. And what's more, he graciously omitted the formality of putting protectors on those spurs. So there were we artists gathered in a ring to watch the pretty spectacle. In about a minute and a half after the fight was started, the stage was empty. The troupe just "blew." The cocks fought their way over the footlights and right up the center aisle. Then the audience "blew." Finally, the birds fought their way out into the lobby and then they "blew." But we were still happy.

That shows how human and carefree a lot of stars can be before they are stars. There was no pose about us; we just acted as we felt. If we felt like getting hysterics, we got 'em. Consider, please. We were playing that immemorial classic, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," I was Joe Morgan, the horrible example, Pauline Lord was the unfortunate Mrs. Morgan and Edna Hibbard was none other than Little Mary. It was Little Mary's death scene. There lay Little Mary, passing out prematurely. If she had lived another ten years, Volstead would have saved her. At one side of the bed knelt I, breaking my heart over my little darling whom I had once hit with a beer bottle. All through the play, you know, the famous Mr. Morgan has the "D. T.'s." Just when Little Mary was bidding goodby to her mother and telling me that she forgave me for sending her on this long journey all alone, who should scamper out on a long journey of his own, from the first entrance, but the longest rat I ever saw in my life. I give you my word that it was as big as a dachshund. I put my hand to my forehead, clammy with perspiration. "The plays got me," I thought. "There ain't no such rat." Miss Lord went into hysterics; Miss Hibbard laughed herself into complete recovery. As I looked again, I saw the rat scurry into the opposite box. And who should be sitting there but Sam Bernard. Now everything was clear. The rat was going for Sam's purse, and it had to be that big to make off with it.

Let me move from Milwaukee for a moment and jump over to Union Hill, where I played in stock a little later with Jane Cowl as the heroine and Robert McWade as the character man. I want to tell you a little story that may prove to you that without stock training Stanislavsky himself might still be playing in the Bronx Opera House of Moscow. In stock, everything happens for the worst, but turns out all right. We were playing "St. Elmo." Miss Cowl and I did a scene 'in one,' in front of a church. The church had an illuminated window lighting up the figure of the Saviour. Miss Cowl would point at the figure and say, "And He will save you." At the Monday morning rehearsal, we noticed that instead of the Savior, the Dutch scene painter had painted in the picture of the Virgin Mary with the Child in her arms. We told the painter to have it changed for the night performance. We didn't proofread the job until we came to the scene at the night performance. Then we died. The Dutch genius had changed the window, all right. What he had done was put whiskers on the Virgin. There she sat with the Child in her arms and a beard like Bernard Shaw's. Without that experience, I would not be what I am today. Do you wonder that I wanted to go into "Morphia" to forget it?

There is one thing I can say about stock, and that is that books flourish there like warts on a farmer's boy. If you shoot one in the back of the neck, two spring up in his place immediately. They are the "floaters" of the profession. We had one such affliction in Milwaukee. He is now a well known motion picture actor, so I won't mention his name. He doesn't deserve the publicity. We were playing "Sherlock Holmes." I had the title role. The boob was playing one of Moriarty's gang. It was his business, in the big gas room scene, to go around and inspect the chinks and the cracks to see that they were properly stuffed so Moriarty could make a good job of it when he turned the gas on. Now, the most important property in this scene is the lamp, which consisted of a lighted candle and a chimney. At the big moment, Holmes smashes this lamp with a chair and then makes his escape with the famous lighted cigar business in the dark. No lamp, no scene. I had warned, begged and threatened everybody in the company and the stage hands to let that lamp alone. Now, in comes this deadly actor on his tour of inspection, which precedes the big moment. He notices that the lamp is smoking, as candles will do. So he goes over and tries to turn it down. Tries to turn the candle light down, mind you. It still smokes. So he leans over and softly blows it out. As I said before, he's now a well known moving picture actor, so I won't mention his name.

Another thing I like about stock is that it teaches you not to depend on the stage manager, the director or on anybody, including yourself. You trust to luck, in the matter of business, and you don't trust too much to her, either. The second scene of the third act of "The Pit" is the famous one, from which the play takes its title. The pit is crowded with a wild, yelling mob of "supers." An office scene precedes this one, and then there is a dark change to the pit scene and howling mob. One night, the management ran a bit short of money, and the "supers" struck. Nobody notified me, because I had the leading role and didn't count. I, therefore, found myself at the crucial moment minus my mob. So I had them turn out all the lights, except a "spot," which played directly on me; took my place in the pit and there read my own lines and the wild mob's lines, as if it were a dream scene, until the curtain went down. It went very well.

I had another surprise when I played D'Artagnan in "The Three Musketeers." In the first scene of the last act, you know D'Artagnan fights his way to the top of a 14 foot staircase, where he is shot in the wrist of the hand in which he is carrying the Queen's recovered studs. Then he has to make a 14 foot jump out of the window. During the whole play, of course, he carries the sword which his father had given him. I didn't like the long jump, with the chance of breaking an arm or a leg on the usual property mattress, so I asked the Milwaukee Athletic Club, of which I was a guest, to let us borrow one of their large pneumatic pads, which they were kind enough to do. So I jumped out of the window faithful sword in hand. A second before I hit the pad, I heard an explosion that shook the stage and then landed like a rock on the floor. The sword had hit the pad first. The audience thought I had blown up and was really surprised to see me appear again later in the act.

Little Lenore Ulric was everybody's favorite. She had fire and dash and pep and ambition, and even then, as an "extra" girl in small parts, showed some of the genius that has since made her one of the most interesting actresses on our stage. I remember in the Soho Square scene in "The Christian" she was one of the "extras" that made up the crowd and had a dance as a little street gamin of London. So full of pep was she that she danced long after her cue, so we had to stop her. Later, when she had a dance in "Carmen" we were on to her and stopped her on a "dead cue." If we hadn't done that she would have danced out the rest of the play. Her ambition was irresistible.

In that Milwaukee company another "super" has since become famous as a motion picture actor. He is George Fisher, who played the role of Christ in "Civilisation" and is a popular leading man on the screen. Harry McRae Webster, our stage director then, is now one of the leading motion picture directors.

I don't know what becomes of property men in stock companies, but I hope they get what they deserve. We played a version of "David Copperfield" in Milwaukee once, written by Meta Miller, Ruth Chatterton was Dora, Mrs. Lee Baker (since retired from the stage) was Agnes, Wilson Reynolds played Micawber and I played David. Oysters were served unopened. It was Micawber's business to open the first oyster. As he did so he struck the table triumphantly, preparatory to making a speech. The old property junk folded right up in front of us, leaving us nothing to work with but the smell of that old oyster. It must have been the first oyster shipped to Milwaukee. We could not stand the smell, so we walked off and rang down the curtain, pending repairs and disinfection.

Now comes the prize story of all my stock experience—of all my stage career. It contains the funniest line I have ever heard on or off the stage. It happened in Milwaukee and for a long time it was "the" joke of the company and of succeeding companies. The female captain of the "supers" was a woman no longer young, but very ambitious to act. Of course she never had a chance because we all knew she couldn't act. Her business was to see that the "supers" dressed properly, minded their cues, so to speak, and to lead the female mobs. For a couple of weeks we hadn't used "supers." Then one Tuesday morning I went to rehearsals as usual and found the captain sitting there on the stage. "How are you, Fanny?" I said. "I'm very well, Mr. Sherman," she answered. "I haven't seen you in a long time," said I. "What have you been doing?" "Well, yesterday I had a very wonderful time," said Fanny, "I read my book on technic and washed out flannel underwear."

And now for a final move to the Union Hill Stock Company when Jane Cowl and I played leads. And by the way, the "kid" parts were played by two sisters who have since become famous in the movies—Viola Dana and Shirley Mason. We were doing a play of Clyde Fitch's called "Her Own Way." It was the usual off-Monday performance when nobody knows his lines. But I noticed that Miss Cowl was very glib. I also noticed that she carried a book in her hand, but as I am very near sighted I couldn't tell what it was. So I followed her around until I tracked her to the piano. And there I solved the mystery. She was reading her lines from a bound volume of the play open on the piano in front of her.

Some of the habits of stock cling to the actor when he reaches Broadway. In the stock the management, the director and the stage hands provide diversion for the company in the form of accidents like those I have told in this outline of history. So when we get to Broadway, where the accidents are fewer (though not absent), we provide our own amusement in the dull stretches. When Marjorie Rambeau and I played in "The Sign on the Door" at the Republic Theater we had a dinner scene in the prologue. One night I served her a pretty little celluloid fish which a man had been selling outside the theater. She never "cracked" a smile. But two weeks later, when I had forgotten the incident, I shook hands with her across the table, as the business of the play required, and received a fist full of cold cream. I had to play the rest of the act with it. It included putting on my overcoat and gloves, handing the photographer a hundred dollar bill and other delicate operations. I waited about a week and then came to the theater with one of those rubber faces of Charlie Chaplin that stick out their tongues at you to the roots. I kept it deftly concealed in my hand and waited until I came to a line like, "You trust me, don't you?" and then let Charlie stick out his tongue at her two or three times. That made us even.

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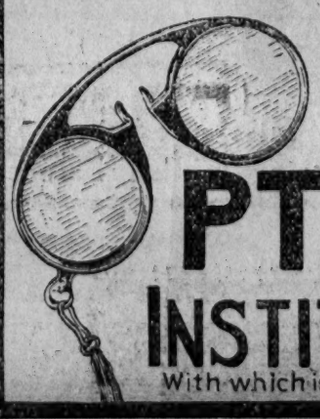
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The Chairman said:—Gentlemen, The report and accounts having been in your hands for some few days, I will with your permission adopt the usual procedure and take them as read.

It is with great satisfaction that your Board have the pleasure of laying before you today a report and statement of accounts which is a record in the history of the Company. It is therefore with pleasure that on behalf of your Board I have to recommend the following appropriation of the credit standing at Profit and Loss A/c. The sum we are able to allocate for division is $152,821.43.

Of this sum an interim dividend of 6 percent was declared last November and absorbed $18.504.00 leaving for distribution this afternoon a sum of $134,317.43 which your Board proposes being dealt with as follows:—

Final dividend of 4 percent absorbing	$ 12,336.00
Bonus of $4 per share	24,672.00
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Carry forward to New Account	20.281.59
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Provided you agree to the above appropriations, your reserve accounts will stand as follows:—

Reserve Account	$ 80,000.00
Building Reserve	140,000.00
Stock Reserve	50,000.00
Exchange fluctuation Reserve	50,000.00
Making a total reserve.	$320,000.00

It is perhaps needless for me to point out that in a business such as ours the fundamental basis is a sound reserve, one can never tell when the present musical craze, if I may call it so, may cease: it therefore behoves us to maintain our reserves in order to meet a rainy day with perfect equanimity.

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Before sitting down I should like to express the Board's appreciation of the good work done by the staff during the year. It is, I need hardly say, due to their loyal endeavours that the success of the Company depends. I feel assured therefore that you will pass the recommended bonus of $12,027.84 without demur.

I think, Gentlemen, that I have now covered all the points necessary to refer to, but should any shareholder wish to ask any questions I shall be pleased to answer them to the best of my ability.

The following resolutions were passed:—That the Report and Accounts, as presented, be passed.

Proposed by: Sir E. C. Pearce.

Seconded by: Mr. W. J Isenman.

That Mr. W. J. Isemman be re elected a Director of this Company.

Proposed by: Mr. K. E. Newman.

Seconded by: Mr. A. E. Paine

That Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews be re-elected Auditors to the Company.

Proposed by: Mr. H. Browett.

Seconded by: Mr. A. C. Remedios.

That the next Annual General Meeting be held during the month of June, 1924.

Proposed by: J. Deane Wells.

Second by: Mr. Paterson.

On the motion of Mr. Browett a vote of thanks was passed for the work done by the directors.

About Books

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

I do not feel that I can ever be more useful than when I have an opportunity to recommend a good book. It need not by any means be a new book, not even though it deals with the most protean of all subjects, science. Science is forever on the march, and our lives have fallen upon a time when the march has been accelerated to a double quick step.

And yet there are many books of science many years old, written by men long since in their graves, which are, in many respects, as valuable reading as when first published—and sometimes even more valuable because they so clearly show the careful reader the nature of the progress that has been made.

I could make up a little shelf of such books, every one of them a treasure for its possessor, as untarnishable as pure gold. Some of the books that the shelf would contain I have mentioned here before—I could not, in justice, mention them too often.

One of them (and one of my old favorities) I put first, simply because I have just happened to see it referred to in an address by Dr. Willet G. Miller, the geologist. It is Hugh Miller's "Old Red Sandstone." There was a time when that book, which had almost the "success" of a novel stirred up sharp theological criticism, but triumphed at last, together with the cause that it advocated.

"There was scarcely a Scotchman in the generation which has just passed away," says Dr. Miller, "that had not heard of Hugh Miller and read some of his works. Even to this day a geological visitor to lonely Highland glens is likely to meet with a workman or peasant who is surprisingly well read in certain features of geology."

Hugh Miller knew that you must interest readers in order to instruct them. A good many other writers know that, as a fact, but not as an art. I would gladly quote some pages from Hugh Miller's masterpiece, if I had room.

I would put Belt's "Naturalist in Nicaragua" on my shelf. It is a book that ought never to go out of print. It has not the style, nor the phylosophy, of W. H. Hudson's books, but is their equal in objective interest.

Tyndall's "Glaciers of the Alps" is a classic of imperishable interest, adventure and science properly mingled. Besides it on the shelf ought to stand his "Hours of Exercise in the Alps," which is just as good or better.

Then I would have Huxley's "Man's Place in Nature and Other Essays." The race horse of evolution has not given Huxley much of its dust yet. Alfred Russel Wallace's "Malay Archipelago" must surely have a place on the shelf. Put a man of science, a thinker and an investigator, among the strange and beautiful things and sights of the East Indies, and let him possess a good deal of literary talent, and why should a book written by him on such a subject not continue to charm and instruct for many a generation?

"I put out my candle, there being still a glimmering lamp burning, and, missing my handkerchief, thought I saw it on a box which formed one side of my bed, and put out my hand to take it. I quickly drew back on feeling something cool and very smooth, which moved as I touched it. 'Bring the light, quick!' I cried, 'here's a snake!' And there he was, sure enough, nicely coiled up, with his head just raised to inquire who had disturbed him. On examination" (after the killing) "I found he had large poison fangs, and it is a wonder he did not bite me when I first touched him."

H. W. Bates's "Naturalist on the River Amazons," is a mighty interesting book. So is Charles Darwin's "Voyage of the Beagle," during which the author got some of his first intimations of evolution.

Humboldt's "Cosmos" is old and several-volumed, but the great baron had a way of telling and speculating about the things that he had seen and thought over during his wide travels that makes him one of the most fascinating of fireside companions. I like to revisit Quito with him, and look at the colossal white dome of Chimborazo, and listen with him, in Quito streets, to the snore-like roaring of the volcano Sangai, and the "very disagreeable noise" made at night by long-backed Pichincha.

I would not stop with these: I could easily fill the shelf—but for the present I will add only one more, and that of a different sort: Canon Taylor's "Words and Places," a book of tid-bits, to be read a little at a time, but often.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, June 5, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, June 7, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, June 8, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The Steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye will leave on Saturday, June 2, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FOOCHOW, KEELUNG AND TAKAO.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer SEIKYO MARU, 5,000 tons, Capt. J. Nishiwaki, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Wharf fromon June 2, at ——— For Freight or Passage apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN Phone C. 4234.

HONGKONG.—The Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited, s.s EMPRESS OF RUSSIA will be dispatched from Woosun on Saturday, June 2. The tender Alexandra will leave the Customs Jetty for Woosung with Passengers and Mail at 6 p.m. For passage, apply to A. H. TESSIER, Palace Hotel Building, 19A Bund, 'Phone C. 182. For Freight, apply to N. LEES SMITH, corner of Peking and Yuen Ming Yuen Roads, 'Phone C. 181.

HONGKONG & SINGAPORE.—O.S.K.'s Cargo Str. HAMBURG MARU, 12,000 tons, Captain J. Nishida, will be despatched from the O.S.K. buoy on June 3, at ——— For Freight apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA. No. 2 Canton Road, Phone 4234.

HONGKONG DIRECT.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo & Passenger Str. ALABAMA MARU, 20,000 tons, Capt. T. Yamaguchi, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Y'poo Wharf on June 3. For Freight or Passage, apply to, THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road, Phone. C. 4234.

HONGKONG.—The s.s. SHINYO MARU, 22,000 tons, Captain M. Jin, will be despatched on Sunday, June 3. Tender conveying passengers and mails will leave Customs jetty at 9:30 a.m. For passage apply to TOYO KISEN KAISHA, No. 71 Szechuen Road, Shanghai. Tel. No. 3229-3230.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. HAEAN Captain Taylor will leave on Sunday morning, June 3. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. FEI-CHING, Capt. Manley, will leave on Tuesday morning, June 5. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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TIENTSIN Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the steamer KWANGPING on June 7, 1923. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 32 (late 1) Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 317.

For Japan Ports

DAIREN, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo Steamer ATLAS MARU, 15,000 tons, Captain T. Konishi will be despatched from the O. S. K. Wharf on June 2, at ——— For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA Co. 2 Canton Road. Phone C 4234.

For Foreign Ports

TAKOMA & SEATTLE CALLING AT VICTORIA B. C. VIA DAIREN, KOBE, YOKKAICHI & YOKOHAMA.—The Osaka Shosen Kaisha's Str. HAWAII MARU, Captain T. Suruga, will be despatched on June 7. at ——— For Freight or Passage, please apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road, Tel. No. 4234 and 4235.

LONDON, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM, ANTWERP AND BREMEN VIA HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, SUEZ AND PORT SAID.—The O. S. K.'s Cargo Steamer AMUR MARU, 15,000 tons, Captain S. Arai, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Buoy on Thursday, June 7, at ——— For Freight, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA. No. 2 Canton Road, Telephone No. 4234.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Haruna Maru, for Europe will leave the Customs Jetty at 10 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. **Empress of Russia**, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 6 p.m.

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the T.K.K. s.s. Shinyo Maru, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, June 8, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage ton boated M.M. s.s. **Cordillere**, for Marseilles will leave the Customs Jetty at 3 p.m.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong on Thursday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Swatow on Tuesday.

The I-C. s.s. Wingsang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Swatow on Thursday, June 7.

The C.M. s.s. Irene left Wenchow yesterday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kwanglee left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Yushun left Amoy for native customs yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The O.S.K. s.s. Seikyo Maru is docked at the O.S.K. Wharf from Dairen on Thursday and will sail for Foochow, Keelung and Takao early this afternoon.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Cheongsing left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei, Tsingtau, Hongkong and Canton on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin on Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru left Dairen yesterday and is expected in Shanghai via Tsingtao next Monday morning.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kyokuto Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Fooshing is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Taksang left Tientsin for Newchwang and Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Tientsin on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping left Chinwangtao on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kiangping left Chinwangtao on Thursday and is due at Woosung tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien will leave Tientsin tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Wednesday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji tomorrow and will dock at the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki Monday morning and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia is expected to leave Bombay for Shanghai via ports today.

The B.I. s.s. Japan which arrived in Shanghai from Calcutta yesterday, will sail for the same port via Kobe, Hongkong, Singapore and Colombo tomorrow.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Ben Line s.s. Benavon, from London on April 13, is expected to arrive in Shanghai on June 6.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa left London at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, May 11, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on June 20.

The P. & O. s.s. Khiva left London on Friday, May 25, at 3 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on July 4.

The S. E. s.s. Formosa, from Gothenburg, left Suez on May 19 and is due in Shanghai on June 16.

The Glen Line m.v. Glentara is due in Shanghai from London on June 7.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Haruna Maru will leave Shanghai for Marseilles and London via ports today and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs Jetty at 10 o'clock this morning.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien, left Singapore on Thursday, May 24, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Monday.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere will leave Shanghai for Marseilles via ports on Friday, June 8, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the French Mail jetty at 3 o'clock that afternoon.

The P. & O. s.s. Sardinia left Yokohama yesterday and arriving in Shanghai on Wednesday, June 6. The vessel is to be dispatched for London via ports on Saturday, June 9

The P. & O. s.s. Devanha, from London on April 27, is expected to leave Hongkong today at noon and arriving to Shanghai next Tuesday.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Tana, from Christiania and ports, left Singapore on Thursday, May 31, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on June 10.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Teiresias, from Liverpool and ports, left Hongkong at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon and is due to arrive in Shanghai about 7 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashmir is due to leave London next Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on July 18.

The M.M. s.s. Chili, from Marseilles on May 4 with mail, will leave Saigon at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Saturday, June 9.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Wawalona arrived in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on Thursday and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila today.

The S. & B. s.s. West Ivan is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on June 8 and will sail for Hongkong, Manila and Singapore the following day.

The Prince Line s.s. Gaelic Prince is due to arrive in Shanghai from New York via Panama on June 10.

The Prince Line s.s. Roman Prince is due to arrive in Shanghai from New York via Panama on June 11.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Montague is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on June 12 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on June 17.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia was due to leave Vancouver on Thursday and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on June 17.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson was due to leave San Francisco on Thursday and arriving in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on June 20.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce, from San Francisco on May 17, should arrive at Yokohama from Honolulu yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on June 6.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia is due at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports at 2 o'clock this afternoon and sailing for Hongkong late in the evening. The tender with incoming passengers in expected at the Customs jetty about 4:30 p.m., and the outgoing tender with passengers and baggage for the vessel will leave the jetty at 6 o'clock.

The O.S.K. s.s. Hamburg Maru, from New York, left Moji at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and is due in Shanghai at daybreak today. The steamer will berth at the O.S.K. buoy and is to sail for Hongkong and Singapore tomorrow.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jena is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on June 19 and will sail for the same ports via Hongkong and Manila on June 21.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson arrived from Seattle on Thursday and docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila at noon today.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson which sailed from Seattle on May 26, should arrived at Yokohama next Thursday and is expected in Shanghai on June 12.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant is due to leave Seattle next Thursday and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on June 24.

The T.K.K. s.s. Shinyo Maru is due at Woosung from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports early this afternoon and will sail for Hongkong tomorrow. The tender with incoming passengers from the vessel is expected at the Customs jetty between 5 and 6 o'clock this evening, and the outgoing tender with passengers and baggage for Woosung will leave the jetty at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo for Hankow: Miss A. Seesholtr, Rev. G. W. Sheppard, Dr. G. H. Bondfield, Mrs. A. Henderson and infant, Mrs. H. C. Clemnets and two infants, Messrs. M. D. Marshall, Mackenzie, A. G. Dovey.

Per P. and O. s.s. Soudan for Bombay: Massrs. Cheng Hseng-tze, King Van-pow, Sian Cheh-ming; for Singapore: Messrs. E. L. Carter, W. Milriy; for Hongkong: Mr. J. Foster, Q. M. S., R. A. O. C.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Luchow from Hongkong: Mr. Hale, Mrs. P. de Cunz, Mrs. S. Aginar.

Per C. N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Messrs. A. Rise, E. Charlot.

Per C. M. s.s. Haean from Foochow: Mr. G. Murray Walker.

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CORDILLERE			8th June
ANGERS	20th April	28th May	22nd June
CHILI	4th May	10th June	6th July
PORTHOS	18th May	24th June	20th July
ANGKOR	1st June	8th July	3rd August
CHAMBORD	15th June	22nd July	17th August

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June 4 —	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
June 6 —	New York via Suez	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
June 6 —	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 7 —	Seattle	Hawaii Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 8 —	New York, Boston	Stanley	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 8 —	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
June 9 —	New York via P'ma	Mayebashi	Jap. N. Y. K.
June 9 —	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
June 10 —	New York via Suez	C. of Pittsburg	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 15 —	New York via Suez	Roman Prince	Br. Furness
June 16 —	Vancouver	†M. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
June 17 —	Portland	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
June 18 —	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 19 —	Seattle	Alabama Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 20 —	New York via Suez	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
June 21 —	Portland, Ore.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.
June 21 —	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
June 23 —	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
June 25 —	New York	Shunko Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
June 25 —	New York	Elkton	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 30 —	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 30 —	New York via Suez	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
June 30 —	Seattle	Yokohama M	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 2 —	Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
July 3 —	San Francisco	Siberia M.	Jap. T.K.K.
July 7 —	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
July 12 —	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 13 —	New York	Hamburg Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 14 —	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
July 19 —	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
July 21 —	Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 21 —	San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR JAPAN PORTS

June 2 —	Kobe	Atlas Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
June 2 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
June 2 —	Kobe	Tambu Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 3 —	Nagoya, Y'hama	Aso Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 3 —	Kobe	Japan	Br. M.M. & Co.
June 5 —	Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
June 6 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M	Jap. N. Y. K.
June 8 —	Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 9 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
June 10 —	Kobe, Yokohama	Atsuta Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

June 2 —	Hamburg	A. von Bayer	Ger. H.S. Line
June 2	10.00* London	Haruna Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 2 —	London, etc.	Dakar Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
June 3 —	Calcutta	Japan	Br. M.M. & Co.
June 3 —	Singapore	Hamburg Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
June 4 —	Hamburg	Ermland	Ger. H.A. Linie
June 5 —	Hamburg	T. of Tokio	Br. J. M. & Co
June 6 —	Antwerp, etc.	Eumaeus	Br. B. & S.
June 7 —	Hamburg, etc.	Amur Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 8 —	Rotterdam, etc.	Onderkerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co
June 8	3.00 Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M. M. Cie
June 9 —	London	†Sardinia	Br. M.M. & Co
June 9 —	Singapore	West Ivan	Am. S. & B.
June 13 —	Hamburg, etc.	Adrastus	Br. B. & S.
June 15 —	Liverpool, etc.	Phemius	Br. B. & S.
June 16 —	London, etc.	Kamo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
June 18 —	Hamburg, etc.	Tatsuno Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 20 —	Rotterdam, etc.	Teiresias	Br. B. & S.
June 23 —	Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M. M. Cie
June 23 —	London	†Delta	Br. M.M. & Co
June 23 —	Calcutta	Japan	Br. M. M. & Co
June 24	D.L. Singapore	Klungchow	Br. B. & S.
June 27 —	Hamburg, etc.	Machaon	Br. B. & S.
June 27 —	Liverpool, etc.	Cyclops	Br. B. & S.
June 28 —	Hamburg, etc.	Glenapp	Br. G.L.E.A.
June 30 —	London	†Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 4 —	Hamburg, etc.	Rhesus	Br. B. & S.
July 6 —	Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
July 7 —	London, etc.	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co
July 8 —	Rotterdam, etc.	Oldekerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co
July 15 —	Liverpool, etc.	Ningchow	Br. B. & S.
July 20 —	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M. M. Cie
July 21 —	London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 31 —	Marseilles	Sarpedon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 3 —	Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Aug. 7 —	Rotterdam, etc.	Saleier	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Aug. 17 —	Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr. M. M. Cie

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

June 20 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Tanyo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 7 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 4 —	Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M. M. & Co.
Sept. 1 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

June	2	5.00 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
June	2	5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	2	6.00 Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
June	2	— Keelung, etc.	Seikyo Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
June	2	1.00 S. H'kong, C'ton	Chihli	Br. B. & S.
June	2	noon Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
June	2	— Hongkong, Manila	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
June	3	— Hongkong	Alabama Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June	3	9.30* Hongkong	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
June	3	2.00 A. H'kong, C'ton	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
June	3	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
June	3	— Hongkong	Hamburg Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
June	3	— Foochow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	4	5.30 Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
June	4	4.45 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
June	5	— Wenchow	Feiching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	5	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
June	7	D.L. A. H'kong, C'ton	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
June	8	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
June	9	— Hongkong, Manila	West Ivan	Am. S. & B.
June	13	— Hongkong	Yokohama M	Jap. N. Y. K.
June	14	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
June	17	— Hongkong, Manila	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
June	17	— Hongkong	E. of Australia	Br. C. P. S.
June	18	— Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
June	21	— Manila, H'kong	Arabia M.	Jan. O.S.K.
June	21	— Hongkong, Manila	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.
June	22	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
June	26	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
June	30	— Hongkong	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

June	2	10.00* W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
June	2	1.00 Tsingtao	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
June	2	— Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinfung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June	2	1.00 Newchwang	Kiukiang	Br. B. & S.
June	3	2.00 Antung	Nanchang	Br. B. & S.
June	3	200 Antung	Foochow	Br. B. & S.
June	3	D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tingsang	Br. J. M. & Co
June	3	D.L. Antung	Esang	Br. J. M. & Co
June	3	— Tientsin	Weinchang	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June	3	— Newchwang	Toonan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	4	— Dairen	Fukuken M.	Jap. O. S. K.
June	5	3.00 Newchwang	Ningpo	Br. B. & S.
June	5	3.00 Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
June	5	3.00 Tsingtao	Chekiang	Br. B. & S.
June	5	3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
June	5	— Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K. M. A.
June	6	— Dairen, etc.	Fukuken M.	Jap. O. S. K.
June	7	— Tientsin	Kwangping	Br. K. M. A.

FOR RIVER PORTS

June 2	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
June 3	D.L. Pukow	Wosang	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 3	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
June 3	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 4	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 4	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 4	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
June 5	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 5	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
June 6	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 6	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
June 7	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 7	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 7	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
June 8	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 8	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 8	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
June 9	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.

M.—MIDNIGHT A.M.
D.L.—DAYLIGHT
*CARRYING MAIL.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
June 4	1 p.m.	E. of Canada	Vancouver	June 18
June 6	——	P. McKinley	Seattle	June 22

TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	7 a.m.	Haruna Maru	Marseilles	July 3
June 8	——	Cordillere	Marseilles	July 17
June 9	——	Sardinia	Marseilles	July 17

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Heinchang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	8.30 a.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao	Today	11.30 a.m.	Shantung
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Tingsang
Antung	Today	3 p.m.	Esang
Antung	June 3	12.30 p.m.	Kiukiang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	June 5	1.30 p.m.	Fengtien
Tsingtao and Dairy	June 5	1.30 p.m.	Sakaki Maru
Tsingtao	June 5	1.30 p.m.	Chekiang

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Kwongsang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	10 a.m.	P. Jackson
Hongkong & Canton	Today	4 p.m.	E. of Russia
Swatow	Today	11.30 a.m.	Chihli
Hongkong & Canton	Today	7 a.m.	Haruna M.
Foochow	Today	11.30 a.m.	Seikyo M.
Foochow	Today	9 p.m.	Haean
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	A. von Bayer
Hongkong & Canton	June 3	7.30 a.m.	Shinyo Maru
Amoy	June 3	12.30 p.m.	Luchow
Swatow	June 4	9 p.m.	Soochow
Amoy	June 6	9 p.m.	Suiyang

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Moscow
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Germany, ports	Today	5 p.m.	A Von Bayen
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Today	4 p.m.	F. of Russia
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Today	10 a.m.	P. Jackson
Japan ports	Today	10 a.m.	Nikko Maru
Japan ports	Today	10 a.m.	Tamba M.

Information For Mariners

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 4 and 5 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
1h. 59m.	10ft. 8in.	2h. 21m.	8ft. 1in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
1	2	1	25

Time of Moonrise, Moon set, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
9.51 p.m.	7.51 a.m.	4h. 58m.	6h. 58m.	4h. 13m.	7h. 43m.

Mean Barometric Pressure.
June 29.73 in.
755.1 mm.

Meteorological Reports

June 2, 1923. SICCAWEI

	May 30.		May 31.	
Sun rises today at 4.58				
Sun sets today at 18.57				
Rainfall (inches)	†0.03	†0.06	†0.07	†0.14
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs	†0.00	†0.05	†0.07	†0.09
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	ESE	E	NNE	NNE
Wind—direction	9.9	14.3	6.8	9.3
Wind—miles per hour	65°3	63°3	63°5	64°9
Temperature (Fahr.)	94	98	98	84
Humidity %	10	10	10	10
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	0.07	0.23	0.07	0.00
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)				

May 30.

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT	Mean.	1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.85		0.00	29.33
Temperature (Min. 59°7)	64°0		—0°6	69°7
(Fahr.) (Max. 68°4)				
Rainfall (inches)	17.22		0.61	14.94

Steamers Departed

June 1—Kiangwah for Hankow
June 1—Ngankin for Hankow
June 1—Tafoo M. for Hankow
June 1—Nagasaki M. for Japan
June 1—Loksang for S. H. Co.
June 1—Taito M. for Amoy, etc.
June 1—Store Nordiske for.....
June 1—Soudan for Bombay
June 1—Glenamoy for Europe
June 1—Nishiyama M. for N'king
June 1—Hanping for Hankow
June 1—Patriot for C'tao
June 1—Kyokuto M. for C'tao
June 1—D. on Jose for Japan
June 1—Tsenglee for Tientsin
June 1—Sianglee for C. N'chwang
June 1—Kendal Castle for N.Y.
June 1—H. Peking for Ningpo
June 1—H. N'shao for Ningpo

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STUDY:—Jacobean design Bookcase, Ningpo chairs, Tapestry covered Rocking chair, Wicker chairs, Teak cretonne covered Cosy Corner, Coal scuttle, Lace curtains, Fender, Fire irons, Overmantel, Carved table, Table cover, Blue and white vases, Skin rug, Carved ivory figures, Oil painting, Pictures books etc.

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TRIFLING WOMEN

Macdonnell Is Bound Over For Trial In Higher Court

Mr. Peter Grain yesterday afternoon in holding Val Macdonnell for trial before the Higher British Court, namely before Sir Skinner Turner and a jury, said that as a Magistrate he did not feel justified in deciding the case for it seemed to him that the best course would be to commit for trial. Any other action would open himself to criticism on the part of the accused on the prosecution.

Mr. Macdonnell is charged by Mr. J. T. Hammond with having given a worthless check for $100 during the race meeting at Kiangwan.

The magistrate said that in the present case the essence of the offence was intent to defraud. The answer given by the defence was that the whole matter was a mistake. It appeared to him that it was essentially a case that should go before the jury. The defendant was accordingly ordered to stand his trial before the higher Court, and was allowed the same bail.

Mr. Ronald McDonald, counsel for the defence, in addressing the Court, submitted that there was no case to go before a jury. He explained the law relating to committal for trial. No jury, counsel argued, in the world would on the evidence given in this Court find against the defendant. The whole thing was nothing more than a mistake. Mr. Hammond, counsel said, had no sense whatsoever of the responsibility of instituting criminal proceedings. What importance could be attached to the evidence of a man who said in the witness box that even were it for a hundred cents he would have prosecuted the defendant?

Counsel submitted that it was absurd to think that the defendant would commit such a crime as alleged for a paltry $100. Counsel trembled to think what might happen to himself or anyone else if they had taken Mr. Hammond's hat or umbrella. One would have to face a detective at he door.

IS CROSS-EXAMINED

Mr. Macdonnell was cross examined by Mr. Wing yesterday and said he had had several port wines and brandies on race day.

What is the inference to be drawn from that? Do you want the Court to understand that you did not know what you were doing? I made no inference whatever. I was sick and I had had no breakfast and no tiffin.

You do not suggest that you were affected and did not know what you were doing? No.

The Magistrate: Port wine and brandy is a well known remedy.

How long have you been admitted? About 1920.

You must have handled many hundreds of cheques in your time? Yes.

Have you made such a mistake as this before? I don't know.

Witness added that he was ill. He did not think it was a serious matter at all. He had telephoned to Mr. Hammond and explained to him.

You are a difficult man to find? I don't think so.

You were served with a writ from your tailor? Yes.

Served on the 18th? I don't remember the date. I know I paid it.

And the officer of the Court made about ten attempts to find you.

Mr. McDonald objected.

Witness said he was served at his own flat 18 Nanking Road. He had a thousand dollars in his possession.

REFERS TO DEBTS

When you went to see Mr. Hammond Mr. Jones spoke in presence of Mr. Hammond that there was no need for you to say such things? I do not remember quite well. I think that Mr. Jones said that there was no need for me to take the cheque from Mr. Hammond that day.

You owed $600 since January, February, March and April? No.

And actually some days before the writ was served upon you? Yes.

There was also another writ issued from Central Garage that was then unpaid?

The Judge: What date was this?

Mr. Wing: the 18th of May.

The witness: No.

Why did you not pay these bills? I did pay.

After the commencement of these proceedings? I paid at once. I was pretty hard up before, same as lot of other people in Shanghai.

At that time, during that week you had plenty of money? Yes. I paid as much as I could.

On the 24th of May that was the first day of your former employer's Mr. P. W. Goldring's departure for Hongkong? Yes. He sailed about 4.30 p. m. that day.

And on that day you felt too sick to go and see Mr. Hammond but you went to see Mr. Goldring? Yes Mr. Goldring's office is near where I live.

Did you ask him for money? I asked him for a cheque on account before he left.

Re-examined by Mr. McDonald the accused said that after Mr. Hammond had spoken to him on the phone that he was leaving the cheque with his shroff he the witness, thought that there was no urgency about it and he felt at ease. He did not think that Mr. Hammond attached any importance to it whatsoever. Mr. Macdonnell added that he is in debt at present for about $600 or $700 plus the interest for 4½ months. Thus Mr. Macdonnell concluded his statement and the evidence.

MR. JONES TESTIFIES

Mr. John Palin Jones, head master of the Shanghai Jewish School, was called, and corroborated the evidence given by the accused. The cheque should have been signed by Mrs. Jones, and accused was to have endorsed it. He knew on Monday night that the cheque had been handed to Mr. Hammond, and gave the accused $100 to recover the cheque. Mr. Macdonnell was indisposed and could not go out.

Mr. Jones continued: He was to bring the cheque back and Mrs. Jones was to sign it. Sometime after the next race I asked him where he had got the money from and he replied he was in a hurry. He thrust into my hands a hundred dollars and ran away. I did not see my wife after I had received the money, but I saw her sometime later. She asked me where I had received the money and I said from Macdonnell. My wife said he could not get the money on her cheque as she had not signed it. I saw him and asked him where had got the money and he replied on the cheque. I pointed out that my wife had not signed the cheque, and he said: "We shall see about that afterwards. There is nothing to worry about." He was riding in every race after the fourth.

That night when we had got back home Macdonnell was tired and exhausted. He stopped at my house. He was not well and had rash. On the day following I paid him $100 in cash. As far as I am concerned the next interview was with Mr. Hammond on Saturday morning. I told Mr. Hammond that it was my wife's cheque, and told him all that I have just related. Macdonnell told Mr. Hammond that he had the hundred dollars and was ready to pay. Mr. Hammond replied that he had no feeling in the matter, as it then was in the hands of the Court.

He mentioned, I think, the Registrar or some Court official.

Cross-examined by Mr. Wing: Mr. Jones, it was while you were changing your clothes that the question of money occurred to you?—Yes.

CAUSED DELAY

Shortly before you started?—Yes. It was a matter of about twenty minutes. I was in my Boy Scout uniform and had come from the Jamboree.

You were the person who was the cause of the delay?—Yes.

And while you were preparing to get ready there was time for Mrs. Jones to sit down and fill up the cheque.

The cheque could have been prepared at home instead of at the races?—We did not know how much money we wanted. It may have been $50, $100, or $200.

And you and your wife were there as ordinary persons to spend your time just as you liked?—Yes.

How was it that the filling of this cheque was deputed to the defendant?—We had no pen.

And you knew there was a difficulty about the cheque and that it was not in order, and you believed that your wife's signature was lacking?—When I asked Macdonnell whether he had endorsed the cheque he said he thought he had endorsed the cheque on the back.

And that the only thing lacking would be Mrs. Jones' signature?—Did you know in whose hands the cheque was? Did you learn from defendant that it was given to Mr. Hammond?—Later on.

You appreciated the fact that Mr. Hammond had got a worthless piece of paper and that he had given for it a hundred dollars of his money?—I did not realise it at all. I did not worry.

Do you mean to say that you failed to see the situation was that you had got a hundred dollars of Mr. Hammond's money and that he had got a document which was of no value? I did not appreciate that fact.

And you took no steps? I did not. If a man gives a hundred dollars to another man surely he trusts him to give it back to him. I did not worry any more about it.

Re-examined by Mr. McDonald: When did you first know that it was Mr. Hammond who held the cheque? After the race, I think. I did not attach any importance to it at all.

You were asked by Mr. Wing why the cheque was not filled in before you started. At that time did you know that you wanted money? Could you have known how much money you would want? No, I did not know. If I knew that I would need money I could have got it the previous day. I did not know whether I would need money or how much I would need.

Testimony was also given by Mrs. Jones, who said that she had torn the check out of the book hurriedly, and by Mr. Allen Mackenzie, who stated that the defendant had given him certain money to take care of.

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